

COMPANY M IS BEST DRILLED AT CAMP GRANT

RECOGNITION GIVEN LEE COUNTY BOYS AT ROOSEVELT REVIEW.

DIXON BOYS GET COMMISSIONS

Everett Dutcher is New Mess Sergeant and Ferguson is With Headquarters.

O. M. Rogers, Tim Sullivan, J. Cleon and J. Der Kinderen were at Rockford and visited Camp Grant on Friday. They found the Lee county men and spent some time with them. While our boys have only been in camp a week and a day they are in the pink of condition and have made very remarkable progress in soldier education. Every one of the boys was in excellent health and spirits with one exception, a man being slightly indisposed with a cold. Co. M is at present located in Building 915. However, they expect to be moved soon, for when the National Guard units are moved they will be moved toward the north end of the camp. One of the Knights of Columbus recreation buildings is being rushed to completion next to 915, while just across the street from there, it is rumored, a \$10,000 theatre building will be put up in the near future. Two blocks north is a Y. M. C. A. building and another Y building is two blocks to the south of Co. M barracks. The barracks building is a two story frame building with sleeping quarters above and mess hall, kitchen and recreation room down stairs. A machine company from Rockford takes mess with Co. M until their mess hall is completed. Each soldier had a very good cot with wire springs and straw mattress and three blankets. The recreation room contains tables for writing, magazines and about two dozen books and a Victrola. A piano and two billiard tables are on the way for the use of our boys.

Practically every one of the first 5 per cent that went to camp will get to be non-coms. They all expect to receive their appointments soon. Everett Dutcher is mess sergeant and Ferguson is clerk at general headquarters.

The company captains and five lieutenants have been adopted by Lee county boys and they expressed pleasure at their adoption for among other things the Lee county boys get more tats from the home folks than do the others. At present visitors are

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COMFORT FUND NOW REACHES \$803.55

LEE COUNTY BOYS AT CAMP GRANT TO HAVE SUBSTANTIAL SUM FOR COMFORTS.

The Co. M "comfort fund" which is being raised by the Lee county people for their boys at Camp Grant, in Rockford, is growing rapidly and the treasurer of the comfort fund committee, A. P. Armington, now has a total of \$803.55 in his hands and there are many districts in the county yet to be heard from.

The money, which will go to buy little comforts and once in a while a luxury for the Lee county boys in camp, is coming in steadily and freely and the people of this county seem to be glad to give to this fund for their boys.

The expenditures will be made by Capt. Kuntler, commander of the company, who is a very fine type of man and seems to be extremely anxious to secure every comfort possible for the men of his company.

The recent additions to the "comfort fund" are:

Amboy \$125.00

Ashton 200.75

Previously acknowledged 477.80

Total \$803.55

TO MONOTYPE SCHOOL.

Charles Burke left today for Philadelphia where he will take a course of instruction in a monotype school.

Remove Territory In Eastern Part of Lee County From Township High School Area

County Superintendent of Schools L. W. Miller, County Clerk Fred G. Dimick and County Judge John B. Crabtree, the ex-officio board of education for the non-high school district of Lee county, which includes all territory in Lee county not included in some duly organized high school district, this morning met to act on a petition from two-thirds of the property owners in that part of township high school district No. 168 (Lee and DeKalb counties) lying in Lee county asking that the board, under powers conferred on it by the last session of the general assembly, remove the territory from the district.

The ex-officio board honored the request, sending copies of their resolutions to the ex-officio board of De-

calb county, which is expected to take similar action.

To Any High School.

The effect of this action will be to make it possible for pupils of that district to attend any high school in the United States, their tuition to be borne by the non-high school district of the county.

The board of education of the non-high school district met this afternoon to prepare a tax levy against all property owners in the county not in a high school district. From this tax levy the board is required to pay the tuition of any pupil in the non-high school district to any high school in the United States which the pupil wishes to attend.

SPRING VALLEY AFTER GAS CO.

Citizens Protest Against Closing of Gas Works There.

(Associated Press Leased Wire) Springfield, Sept. 29.—The city of Springfield Valley and citizens today filed a complaint with the Public Utilities commission against the Spring Valley Gas Co. alleging the discontinuance of the plant there and an attempt to compel consumers to equip their residences for electricity.

DENIES GERMAN HAS RENOUNCED BELGIUM

CHANCELLOR MICHAELIS SAYS IMPERIAL GOVERNMENT HAS FREE HANDS.

NO COMMUNICATION WITH FOES

(Associated Press Leased Wire) Stockholm, Sept. 29.—Germany has not renounced Belgium and has not been in communication with any of her enemies, according to Berlin reports of a speech made by Chancellor Michaelis before the reichstag committee.

"I declare the statement that the imperial government already had communicated with this or that hostile government, and that it had in advance renounced occupied territory thus abandoning the most valuable advantage in peace negotiations, is untrue. I declare the imperial government has free hands for eventual peace negotiations. This also refers to Belgium," he is quoted as saying.

The chancellor said the announced American military exertions were awaited by Germany with calm confidence.

Were Germany to state her war aims, the chancellor asserted, it would prejudice the complex questions to be discussed at the time of peace negotiations.

The chancellor strongly attacked President Wilson's reply to the pope, which, he asserted, merely bound the German people together more firmly.

MINNESOTA ASKS TO HAVE SENATOR FIRED

COMMUNICATION READ IN SENATE ASKS LAFOLLETTE'S EXCLUSION.

(Associated Press Leased Wire) Washington, Sept. 29.—A communication from the governor of Minnesota and the state public safety commission requesting expulsion from the senate of Senator LaFollette of Wisconsin was presented in the senate today by Senator Kellogg of Minnesota and referred by Vice President Marshall to the election committee.

Abe Martin--



Th' war has taught us two things—that women are equal to any emergency and 'parsnips have a food value. What's become o' th' girl that used to complain o' high street car steps?

AIR OF TENSENESS IN HAIG'S LACONIC REPORT FROM FRONT

MILITARY OBSERVERS SEE POSSIBILITIES OF GREAT ACTIVITIES.

GERMAN AIR RAID A FAILURE

British Airmen, However, Do Damage To U-Boat Base and Airdromes.

(Associated Press Leased Wire) Field Marshal Haig is extremely laconic in his dispatch today from the British front in Belgium and France. "Nothing to report except the usual activity on both sides" is the essence of it.

Warnings yesterday from newspaper correspondents that nothing need be expected of them for the time being tend to create an air of tenseness with the possibility seen of big events impending.

Military observers not on the spot seem at sea over the possibilities of the campaign.

The comparative quiet that has prevailed for the last few days on the French front continues.

Air Raid A Failure.

The latest German raid on England last night turned out badly for the raiders. Their airplane formation failed to reach London and two of the 20 machines engaged were brought down by the British. Only insignificant damage was caused by bombs dropped on Kent and Essex and there were no casualties.

British aircraft are reported to have wreaked extensive damage by raids in Belgium particularly at the submarine base at Zeebrugge and airdromes in the interior.

CAN'T ENLIST AFTER LOCAL BOARD CALLS

RULING OF PROVOST MARSHAL GENERAL ON SUBJECT IS GIVEN.

In answer to many inquiries on the subject, the Lee county exemption board has issued the following bulletin from the rulings of the Provost Marshal General, given Sept. 4:

Persons may not be "exempted" to permit them to enlist, nor, under the president's regulations, may a person who has once been called by a local board thereafter enlist, even after he has been exempted or discharged from draft. This regulation may be modified by the president after all quotas are filled, but for the present, exempted or discharged registrants may not enlist voluntarily. It is further to be remarked that an application of an exempted or discharged man to enlist would be ground upon which a local board might inquire whether his certificate of exemption or discharge ought not to be revoked.

NEW OFFICIALS ARE NAMED BY WILSON

MEMBERS OF SHIPPING BOARD AND I. C. C. HAVE BEEN APPOINTED.

(Associated Press Leased Wire) Washington, Sept. 29.—C. R. Page of San Francisco has been chosen a member of the shipping board. Louis A. Coolidge of Boston was made a member of the ship building labor adjustment board.

The following were named today by President Wilson to fill vacancies on the interstate commerce commission:

Robt. L. Wooley of Virginia, term ending Dec. 1920.

Clyde Baithchison of Oregon, term ending Dec. 1921.

Geo. W. Anderson of Boston, term ending in 1922.

Hampton Gary of Texas, assistant solicitor of the state department was nominated to be consul general at Cairo, Egypt.

MINISTERS WILL MEET.

The Dixon Ministerial association will hold its regular meeting at the Y. M. C. A. Monday morning, with Rev. G. W. Stoddard delivering the paper.

SOCIALISTS CHANGE QUARTERS

The Dixon local of Socialists have moved from the old Armory on Second street to the hall in the opera house block.

REPAINTING CORNICE

The cornice at the Masonic hall is being repainted in preparation for the visit of over a thousand Knights Templar here next Saturday.

ON VACATION.

Officer John Winters is taking a vacation from his duties on the police force.

BULLETIN!

THIRTY-FIVE MEN TO CAMP GRANT ON NEXT WEEK

LOCAL BOARD RECEIVES ORDER TO SEND 20 PER CENT OF QOTA.

ASSEMBLE IN DIXON WEDNESDAY

Will Leave Dixon At 4:21 O'Clock Thursday Afternoon Via Northwestern.

This afternoon the local board received instructions from the adjutant general to send Lee county's third increment to the national army to Camp Grant, Rockford, next Thursday, Oct. 4, at 4:21 p. m. the men to leave on the Northwestern as did their comrades a week ago.

The third increment will be but 35 men, as the army officials have found the camp is not completed sufficiently to take care of full 40 per cent of the state's quota, as had been intended.

The list of men to go Thursday and who have been ordered to report to the local board here Wednesday, Oct. 3, at 2 p. m., will be found on page 4 of this issue. The men will be taken care of here Wednesday night and Thursday and undoubtedly the people of Dixon will arrange to entertain them in a manner similar to the way the contingent was last week.

NO WORD FROM CITY HIT BY HURRICANE

COMMUNICATION WITH PENSACOLA, FLA. IS STILL CUT OFF.

(Associated Press Leased Wire) New Orleans, Sept. 29.—Word was anxiously awaited here today from Pensacola, Fla., which was struck by the tropical hurricane. All wire communication with that city has been cut off since about 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

Some storm damage to standing timber and crops was reported from Mississippi and Louisiana, but no estimate of the losses is at present available.

RICE WILL OPEN SKATING RINK

Roller Skaters To Have Rink in New Countryman Building.

M. E. Rice, proprietor of the Natchua Tavern in this city, announced today that he had leased the main floor of the new I. B. Countryman building on Galena avenue, between First and Second streets, and will open about Oct. 6th with a fine, modern roller skating rink.

Mr. Rice is arranging for a complete equipment of about 500 pairs of the latest models in skates, and all the necessary paraphernalia that goes to make up a fine skating rink. Mr. Rice will have a good orchestra for the skaters, and is planning several other novel features which he will announce later.

The big floor in the new building, which is 50 by 150 feet, will make a splendid skating rink.

PIGSKIN KICKERS GET INTO ACTION

Football Season Opened in Middle West This Afternoon.

(Associated Press Leased Wire) Chicago, Sept. 29.—The football season will open in the middle west today with a scattering of games of minor importance. None of the "Big Ten" eleven, with the exception of Ohio State, winner of the Western conference championship last season, and Indiana, will go into action.

ANOTHER BIG STRIKE

(Associated Press Leased Wire) Seattle, Wash., Sept. 29.—12,000 metal workers employed in Seattle's ship yards struck today to force demands for higher wages and the use of 8-hour lumber. Three large steel ship yards and 95 smaller plants were closed as a result of the strike.

NORWEGIAN SHIP SUNK

(Associated Press Leased Wire) London, Sept. 29.—The Norwegian foreign office reports the sinking of the sailing vessel Sulven, 606 tons, says an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Copenhagen.

BEGAN HIS TERM.

Steve Myers, who pleaded guilty on Monday to the charge of larceny, preferred against him by the grand jury, was taken to Pontiac yesterday by Sheriff Phillips and Circuit Clerk Rosecrans to begin his indeterminate sentence.

INDUSTRIAL DIXON IS IN GOOD SHAPE AND TO BE BETTER

EXPANSION OF LOCAL MANUFACTURES MEANS EMPLOYMENT OF MORE LABOR.

PROSPECTS FOR FUTURE ARE GOOD

Dixon Is Becoming More Important Manufacturing Center With Each Improvement.

Industrially speaking, Dixon is "up and coming." The manufacturing plants of this city are without exception, more prosperous than they ever have been in the history of the city, and future prospects for industrial growth are especially bright just now, as announcements which are expected during the coming winter, and possibly at an earlier date, will prove.

Several of the largest manufacturing concerns in Dixon have spent large sums this summer in expanding their plants and providing for a much larger output. The completion of the improvements will necessitate the employment of more labor and will enhance the value of Dixon as a manufacturing city.

The Chamber of Commerce, the refraining from advertising its activities for obvious reasons, has been busy engaged in the hunt for new industries for Dixon and at all times has projects under consideration.

Many of the offers of industrial concerns to locate in Dixon are not attractive, for one reason or another. The local Chamber of Commerce officials are working on the plan that Dixon wants no factories that are not firmly established and are not sure to be a benefit to the city and surrounding community. Many factories want a bonus or ask local people to buy stock, and these propositions are not looked upon favorably.

LEE COUNTY MAN WILL GO TO CAMP LEWIS

GEO. HENDRICKS OF THIS CITY ALLOWED TO GO WITH MONTANA TROOPS.

Lee county will be represented at the national army cantonment, Camp Lewis, Washington, the local board having granted George Hendricks permission to be sent with the Montana contingent. Hendricks, who formerly lived on First street, in Dixon, was in Bozeman, Mont. at the time of examination and was given permission to be examined there. He passed and now has asked the right to go with the Montana troops. His order number here was 78, and accordingly he will go with the next contingent of troops from Bozeman. The records of that contingent will be sent to Washington and Lee county, Illinois, will be credited with one man there, making it necessary for this county to send but 172 men to Camp Grant.

A BIG STRIKE IN ARGENTINA

Anarchistic Unions Called Walkout of All Their Men.

(Associated Press Leased Wire) Buenos Aires, Sept. 29.—A general revolutionary strike throughout Argentina was declared today by anarchistic workmen, the strike to include all unions belonging to their organization. The socialistic unions have refused to participate in this movement.

PALMYRA FARMERS' INSTITUTE

Annual Meetings Will Be Held Oct. 18 and 20.

LeRoy Power, president of the Palmyra Township Farmers' institute, has announced that the annual meetings will be held at the Prairieville church Thursday, Oct. 18, and at the Palmyra church Saturday, Oct. 20. Good programs have been prepared for the meetings.

HAS THE NEW LIBERTY BOND

The Dixon National bank has received the first Liberty Bond seen in Dixon. It is of the \$100 denomination, and is a very desirable looking piece of paper. The Dixon National bank has ordered a large amount of the bonds, which will be here within a few days.

SCHUMM RESIGNS POSITION

Louis Schumm has resigned his position at Moyer's furniture store after many years of faithful service, to accept a place in the Wilbur Lumber Co. office.

LICENSED TO WED

Marriage licenses issued yesterday at the county clerk's office were to Robert E. Sammons of Savanna and Miss Ruby Lowry of Nregon, and to George Leo Gillan and Miss Laura Gross, both of Amboy.

TWO CASES FOR TRIAL MONDAY

Judge Baume Will Reconvene September Term of Court.

The September term of the circuit court will be reconvened on Monday morning by Judge Baume. Two cases have been set for trial Monday: T. S. Page vs. Reynolds Wire Co., and Gabriel Hanson vs. S. Danne Eden et al. Brooks & Brooks are attorneys for Mr. Page while Dixon & Dixon represent the defendant company in the first suit. Attorney Harry Edwards will appear for Mr. Hanson in the second case, Attorney John E. Erwin representing the defendants.

DIXON MEN ENLIST IN REGULAR ARMY

BERT STITZEL AND NORTON BURKE JOINED AT THE STERLING OFFICE.

MANY GOOD POSITIONS OPEN

Sergeant Moran of the Sterling recruiting office, has secured three more men from this vicinity to enlist in the service and they have already gone for examination at the Chicago headquarters. Paul Helms, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Helms, who has been working in the Geyer drug store in Sterling, has enlisted in the medical corps.

Norton Burke, whose home is in the east but who has been working as bookkeeper at the Sandusky cement plant in Dixon, has enlisted as stenographer in the quartermaster's department.

Bert Stitzel of Dixon is the third. He enlisted as chauffeur in the quartermaster's department.

Sergeant Moran has just received a notice from the war department that there are still hundreds of places for men between the ages of 18 and 40 for the service, whose salaries will run from \$30 to \$97 per month. They are in the engineering department, and this carries 80 different kinds of work, including quarry, road building, construction, survey, reproduction, supplies and shop work, water supply work, trucking and wagoning, mining, pioneer work, and many other kinds. The notice further says that those enlisting in these departments will probably be sent to France within a few weeks.

DIXON WRESTLER WON MATCH IN CHICAGO

DAN WOLF THREW OLD TIMER AT THE GRANT PARK NAVAL CAMP.

Chicago, Sept. 29.—Athletes of the Grant Park naval camp staged a boxing and wrestling program last night at the foot of Randolph street. Seventh infantry boxers meeting jacks in two fist encounters, Jimmy Travers and Jack O'Keefe won handily from their opponents.

The entertainment, attended by more than 5,000 friends of the navy boys, opened with a wrestling bout between Daniel Wolfe, a recruit just arrived from Dixon, Ill., and Ed Canar, one of the old timers at the camp. The downstate boy took the fall from Canar in 8:21.

THE WEATHER

Saturday, Sept. 20.

(Associated Press Leased Wire) Generally fair tonight and Sunday; cooler Sunday and in north and west portions tonight.

Sunday	.....73	44
Monday	.....72	43
Tuesday	.....78	59
Wednesday	.....68	49
Friday	.....63	44
Saturday	.....69	42

Rifles Ready For Men At Camp Grant:

First Selection Get Test of Guard Duty

(Special Correspondence)

Rockford, Sept. 29.—Honor men of the first increment of 2999 did their first guard duty at Camp Grant last night. Yesterday three men were given guns and ammunition and last night each man who drew guard duty was assigned to walk the beats with one of the guardsmen of the First Ill. infantry regiment.

This morning every post at the cantonment was being guarded by an honor man and a private from the First regiment. When the First regiment leaves for Camp Logan, Texas, the duty of guarding the camp will devolve upon first selectives to arrive at camp.

Plenty of Rifles.

There are on hand plenty of rifles and ammunition with which to equip the selected men at the camp. Colonel Roosevelt's statement in his recent

ONE MILLION IN LIBERTY BONDS IN LEE COUNTY

THIS COMMUNITY EXPECTS TO DOUBLE ITS FORMER MARK.

CAMPAIGN TO START MONDAY

Will Be An Organized Effort To Sell Quota of Bonds In Every Township.

A million dollars in Liberty Bonds. That is what Lee county is expected to do this time.

George B. Robinson, who came to this county during the previous Liberty Bond campaign and did much effective work in the organizing of the sale of bonds at that time, was in Dixon today preparing to open a campaign that will be much more extensive than the last one.

Lee county gave nearly half a million dollars for Liberty Bonds last time, and as the present issue is twice as large, Mr. Robinson says that Lee county will be expected to give about twice as much. So the people of this county now know the mark they have to shoot at, a round, cool million.

Township Organization

The organization in Lee county which will start the campaign for the sale of bonds on October 1st, will be wide-spread, and in this manner it is hoped that some of the defects of the previous campaign will be avoided. The last time there were townships in the county where no Liberty Bonds were sold at all. It was said at that time that the indifference to the Liberty Bonds in some sections was due to pro-German sympathies, but many believe that such a statement is untrue and unfair to the sections affected, and that the low sales were due to lack of organization in these townships.

That defect will be done away with this time, for it is proposed to appoint a committeeman from every township in the county and start out with a meeting in Dixon of these men.

Expect Good Sale. Mr. Robinson, in talking with a Telegraph reporter today, stated that it was his opinion that the sale of Liberty Bonds would go much more smoothly during this campaign than it did before, for several reasons.

He said the people were much more awake to the seriousness of the situation now than they were a few months ago, and that their patriotism is keener, now that the United States is sending men abroad to the battle grounds of France. The public also has a better understanding of the nature of the bonds and the necessity of this government loan.

Everybody in the county will be given an opportunity to buy one or more of the Liberty Bonds during the next few weeks. Be ready to do your bit.

BOYS THREW NAILS IN ROAD

Sterling Man To Prosecute Lads Living in Palmyra.

Frank W. Walzer of Sterling is justly indignant. He reached home yesterday afternoon with nine nail holes in one tire of his auto. Mr. Walzer with a party of friends were returning home from Dixon and they came back by the river road. When near the school house a mile south of Prairieville they saw ahead of them some distance seven or eight boys 10 to 17 years of age, strewing something along the road. After passing them they found out they were throwing nails along the road. Mr. Walzer got out and examined his tires and pulled nine nails out of one of them. Mr. Walzer has learned the names of some of the boys and will swear out warrants for their arrest.

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With Close of Season Less Than Week Away Roush and Cobb are Away Ahead

(Associated Press)

Chicago, Sept. 29.—With the close of the major league season less than a week away, Ed Roush, the Cincinnati outfielder, appears to be certain of the National league batting championship.

Unofficial averages released today give Roush, who is hitting .343, a 27 point lead over Roger Hornsby of St. Louis, his nearest rival. Hornsby, however, has a lead of 3 points in total base hitting. Roush, who has made 178 hits, cracked them out for 236 bases. He had 24 doubles, 15 triples and 8 home runs to his credit.

Members of the New York club, who are getting ready for the world series battle in Chicago, continue effective hitting. Benny Kauff is showing the way to his teammates with .311. Burns follows with .306 and Zimmerman is next with .297. Burns is firmly in possession of league scoring honors, having counted 161 times.

Carey of Pittsburgh, who is leading the base stealers, brought his margin up to 49. Cravath of Philadelphia clings to home run honors with 12 and Deal of Chicago is topping the sacrifice hitters with 28. Cincinnati retained the lead in team batting with 263. The averages include games of Wednesday.

Leading batters who have played in half or more of their club's games follow:

Roush, Cincinnati .343; Hornsby, St. Louis .316; Kauff, New York .311; Groh, Cincinnati .306; Burns, New York .306; Jack Smith, St. Louis .298; Zimmerman, New York .297; Wheat, Brooklyn .296; Carey, Pittsburgh, .293; Wilhoit, New York .292.

Leading pitchers participating in 32 or more games, rated according to earned runs per game:

G	W	L	
Anderson, New York	37	9	8
Alexander, Phila.	43	29	12
Schupp, New York	33	30	7
Perritt, New York	34	16	7
Sallee, New York	32	19	6
Nehf, Boston	37	15	8
Vaughn, Chicago	41	24	13

SUBLETTE.

Mrs. Farrell of Chicago spent a few days at the John Riebenberger home last week.

Mrs. Jacob Blei and children and Mrs. Frank Burkhardt motored to Rock Falls Monday.

A. J. Lauer attended the fair at Peoria Monday.

Mrs. Wm. Fletcher spent last week in Eldena.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Lauer and daughter Anna and son Paul and wife motored to Peru Sunday.

John Eddy, who has been living here this summer, returned to Wisconsin to attend an automobile school this winter.

Arthur Bettendorf went to Madison Monday to resume work at the university.

Mrs. Wallace Hicks and son of Lee Center spent Monday with Mrs. Clara Hicks.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Tourtellot and son spent Sunday at the Alfred Tourtellot home near Dixon.

Misses Tena and Anna Erbes entertained the Ladies Friendly club on Thursday.

Word was received here of the death of Grandma Barton at the home of her daughter at Sandwich Monday, Sept. 24. The funeral was held Wednesday. Mrs. John Barton attended the funeral.

Rev. and Mrs. A. B. Haist of Canada, who have been at Battle Creek, Mich., this summer also Mrs. Mary Rapp of Naperville spent last week at the Adam Rapp home.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Rehn of Lonsant spent Monday at the home of J. P. Theis.

E. C. Utch and daughters Alma and Esther motored to Naperville on Monday where Miss Esther will attend college. Mr. Utch and Miss Alma returned Tuesday.

Mrs. Geo. Stephenitch and Mrs. John Malach visited their sister a few days this week.

Otto Stephenitch and family and Mrs. Mary Auchtsetter were in Mendota Tuesday.

J. Auchtsetter motored to Sterling Tuesday.

George Bieber visited in Chicago last Friday.

Ernest Theis is very sick with sciatica.

Frank Leffelman is improving from a long illness.

Mrs. Adam Rapp, who was on the sick list, is also improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Gephart of West Brooklyn have a twilight sleep baby boy, born Sept. 19, at the Sublette hospital.

Misses Esther Utch and Melvina and Myrtle Hoffman left Monday for Naperville where they will attend college this year.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Gagstetter and Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Reis and children of Dixon and Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Gagstetter and daughter spent last Sunday at the F. C. Reis home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Stiltz spent Sunday at the Herman Voight home in Polo.

Miss Mae Clark, Christina Bettendorf and Frank Vasson had their tonsils removed at the Sublette hospital Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Bettendorf and daughter and Mrs. Paul Stephenitch and Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Reis motored to Chicago last Thursday, returning Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Densets have moved back to Amboy. Frank Davis will move into the home recently vacated by Wm. Mehland and the latter has moved into the house on Main St. recently vacated by A. J. Koehler.

Mrs. Mary Lentz of Chicago is visiting her sister, Mrs. Paul Reis, at this place.

NEW WAR PLANES TO CARRY 19 MEN

Britain Sends Us Plans for
Giants of Air to Be
Built Here.

WILL PARALYZE THE ENEMY

Great Number of These Craft to Make
Impossible Re-enforcement of Ger-
man Lines—Engines Very
Powerful.

London.—American airplane manufacturers are in possession of working models and blueprints of new motors developed by England and France during three years of warfare. The United States airplane factories have received gratis the secrets of new alloys and improvements in construction which previous to America's entry into the war could not be bought at any price—secrets that were guarded with men's lives and were never mentioned beyond the doors of certain offices. Personal messengers have left England by every departing steamship; mail bags have been filled with priceless blueprints and cable lines have been jammed with messages, all bearing on the development of the American air squadron.

The governments of France and Great Britain know that upon the efforts made on the other side of the Atlantic within the next six months depends the fate of the armies afield. Important above everything else in the struggle for victory is the airplane, which must be produced in myriads, and the task now falls squarely to Uncle Sam.

Doubters Are in Minority.

There are doubting Thomases on this side of the water who sneer at the grandiose statements coming from New York and Washington and who assert that even if the United States organizes for the aerial construction program the product will be so inferior that it will be useless for actual fighting. Fortunately these doubters are in the minority. Officials and men in a position to know what already has been done are highly optimistic. They believe that American methods applied to the manufacture of air craft will result in just as good a product as is now coming from factories organized here shortly after the war started.

Despite all the lurid prophecies regarding the great fleet of airplanes that eventually will lay waste the principal German cities, the experienced airmen on this side only hope for thousands of machines with which to fight the German armies in the field.

The success which America's efforts are to insure will come only when the allied armies in France have sufficient airplanes to retain mastery of the air and to patrol every mile of the territory immediately behind the German lines. When the day finally arrives, Germany will not be able to move a train back of the lines and to move reserves will be impossible. She will be unable to feed the men who are in the first lines. Her heavy artillery will be silenced and in the end her entire fighting forces made useless. The way will then become one of movement, with the chances for victory altogether on the side of the allies.

There are various types of airplanes which will be manufactured in America that are already being used in France. Engines of unbelievable power are being put into the newest type of plane. The average American is more or less familiar with automobile engines and has some idea of what weight of engine will develop 100 horsepower. If this average American were to look at some of the newest air motors he probably would judge them to be ten or 15-horsepower. In fact, he could lift some of the engines unaided and would probably be astounded to learn that such a machine was capable of developing not 100, but 150-horsepower.

Every newspaper reader in the United States has been well informed of the plans for building airplanes, but it is doubtful if one in a thousand can picture the size of some of the planes that eventually will be loaded on transports at the Atlantic piers. The correspondent has had an opportunity in the last few weeks of inspecting the newest type of aircraft; the type that will be turned out in vast numbers by America, and it is bigger in every way and more powerful than laymen imagine.

To begin with, the body of the new machine resembles in many ways a big motor launch. Its under part is rounded and beautifully constructed of finely grained wood. It is so big that to enter it one must clamber up a ladder and go down through a hatchway as big as the cabin door of a motor yacht. It is of the biplane type and from tip to tip of each wing there is room enough for a dozen men to lie out full length. Its two motors will develop 600 horsepower and their combined weight is so little compared to the power that the actual figures would look untruthful in print. Where the old types could carry hundredweights, this machine carries tons.

Can Carry Nineteen Men.
This new plane is manned by a pilot, two or three observers, a forward gunner, a bomb-dropper, a mechanic and, if necessary, a dozen passengers. It has an electrical-lighted passageway leading from one compartment to another. The flooring of one compart-

ment is a strongly constructed grating through which the occupants can view the earth below. The sides of two of the compartments are built to open and afford a view of the surrounding clouds, or, in case of combat, of the enemy planes. When the levianth motors are started their roar is awe-inspiring, and the wind from the propellers sends backward a blast in front of which a strong man would find difficulty in remaining erect.

This is a picture which must be impressed upon the public mind if the great mass of the people is to realize what the United States is going to do. The task set for the American workers is not that of turning out light, hurriedly built scouting machines to the number of tens of thousands, but to construct carefully with the last degree of ingenuity the highly developed war craft needed in modern battles. That is what England expects of her newest ally and what she has striven valiantly to teach authorities across the Atlantic. The vast technical detail developed by continuous fighting in the air has been turned over entire so that the United States begins the work with the most favorable chances of success.

The invention of some new fighting machine after the manner of the tank is what all Europe expects of America, and they expect to see the new machines, airplanes or walking seaplanes or flying torpedo boats come to France fully manned, nicknamed and prepared to throw new terrors into the heart of an enemy who invented terrorism.—New York Sun.

UNCLE SAM AT PEACE TABLE

This Government Will Be in Position
to Dictate Terms When Time for
Negotiation Comes.

Washington.—President Wilson's reply to Pope Benedict's peace proposal has temporarily halted the widespread demand for a definite statement of the war aims of the United States.

"The purposes of the United States in this war are known to the whole world—to every people to whom the truth has been permitted to come," the president said in his reply to the pope. "They do not need to be stated again."

In his Flag day address the president said the reasons for America's entrance into the war must be apparent to every thinking man. Still, there is confusion in the minds of many Americans. The attempt of the committee on public information to clear up this confusion with its pamphlet, "How the War Came to America," was only partly successful.

"I shall not discuss here how America came into this war," Secretary of War Baker told the Fort Myer reserve officers on the day of their graduation. "That issue is settled for the American people. Our task now is to plan for victory."

In these words Secretary Baker summed up the attitude of all Washington officials. There are others, however, who believe the reasons for America's entrance into the war have a very important bearing on peace and on the future history of the world.

Just as there were underlying causes of the European conflict that never have been mentioned in the official documents, so there were causes for America's entrance into the war that were slighted in the president's address.

One of these causes is generally believed to have been that France was "bled white" and that the allies were in danger of defeat. Many Americans find the best justification for America's entering into the conflict in the statement that "we went in to save France."

This notion was given a severe jolt when Andre Tardieu, the French purchasing commissioner in the United States, made public his letter to Secretary Baker giving statistics on the present military strength of the French republic. With facts and figures supplied by the French war office, Tardieu disproved the theory that France was "bled white."

One of the highest officials of the United States government said it was not true that the allies were in danger of defeat just before America entered the war. France and England both could have held out for years and it was very doubtful, he said, that the German war machine could ever have achieved a military decision over the allies.

The United States, the president believed, would be in no position to assert its views at the peace conference if it remained a neutral. It was the avowed intention of leaving matters such as disarmament and an international organization to prevent future wars to a congress that would follow the peace conference.

The president believed that guarantees for the future would be the only results that would make the three years of fighting worth while, and that they should be made an integral part of the peace treaties. By the entrance of the United States, President Wilson became the world leader. It was made certain that by the aid rendered the allies the United States would be in a position to dominate the peace conference and to force that convention to accept its views.

Thus it would seem to be established that the real underlying cause for America's entrance into the war was not to succor an alliance in danger of defeat, but to insure and to dictate if necessary a just and lasting peace. There is reason to believe that the allies will be forced to accept terms of peace that they never would have considered but for the influence of the United States. And by the same token there is ground for hoping that through the United States the world will, in fact, be "made safe for democracy."

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Nature Put to Work.

In constructing a series of small bridges over the streams which intersect many of the roads of Sumatra, a rather unusual course was followed. The builders used timber stringers, and made abutments of piles of burlap bags filled with cement and sand. Shortly after the bags had been put in place, heavy, soaking rains converted the whole into a mass of solid concrete.

Mrs. Irving Trump was here Fri-

day from Polo.

True Bees.

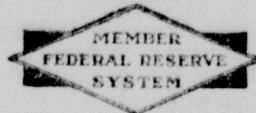
The term "bee" is generally applied to a large part of the members of the order hymenoptera. The true bees, however, include only fourteen families.

The most important of the true bees are the honeybee and the bumblebee. Next to these are the cuckoo bee, carpenter bee and the mason, leaf cutting and potter bees.

Day of Substitutes.

This is the day of substitutes. Pick up almost any publication and you may read: "The best way to avoid a shortage is to use something else in place of it." Substitute for the blank almost any known commodity. The trouble is, aren't we likely to create a shortage of substitutes?—Exchange.

Mrs. Fred Dimick attended a lecture on Christian Science in Da Kalb on Tuesday.

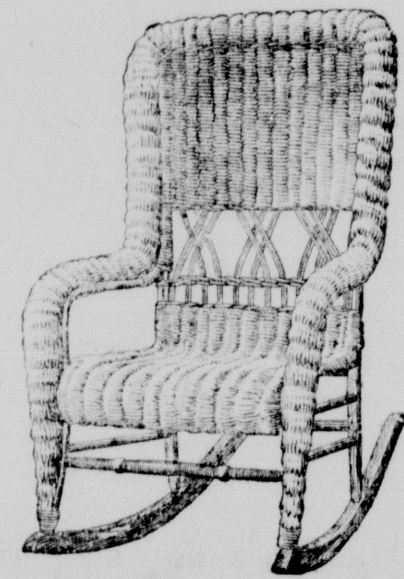


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SOCIETY

Monday.
Peoria Ave. Club, Miss Bosworth, Grand Detour.
G. A. R. Circle, G. A. R. Hall.
Stjernan Club, Mrs. H. A. Brooks.
Chapter A C. Illinois P. E. O., Miss Lydia Garnett.
Philathea Class Supper and Reception for the Mothers, Grace Church.
O. E. S. Parlor Club, Masonic Hall.

Tuesday.
Phidian Art Club, Mrs. L. D. Dement.
Luther League, Church.

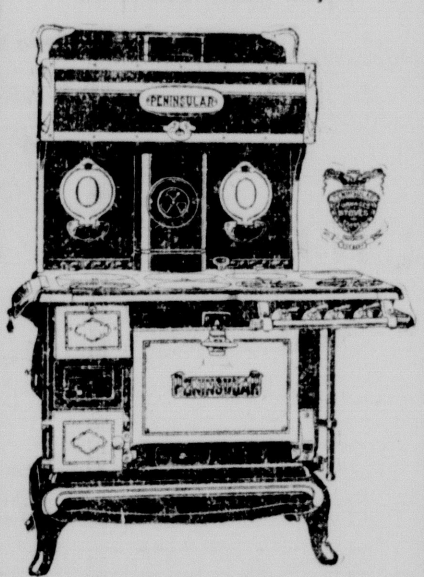
Luncheon for Miss Emmert.
A very delightful affair was that of this afternoon, when Miss Clementine Garrison entertained at a one o'clock luncheon for Miss Ruth Emmert, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lorton S. Emmert of Franklin Grove, whose marriage to Mr. Charles C. Coleman will take place soon.

The table was decorated in pink and white, with a basket of pink roses as a centerpiece, the individual flowers later serving as favors. Miss Emmert's favor was a corsage bouquet of white roses and swansonia. The nut cups were also pink. Covers were laid for eight.

The feature of the afternoon was a miscellaneous shower in which Miss Emmert found various gifts by unravelling a spider web while had been woven about the house. The remainder of the afternoon was spent in playing various contests suited to the occasion.

Miss Helen Schoff of Des Plaines and Mrs. George Peterman of Joliet were out of town guests.

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Thursday Reading Circle
The first meeting of the autumn season for the Thursday Reading Circle was held Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. A. Ackert, of E. Boyd street. Twenty members were present, enjoying the opportunity to be together as a club again. A number of guests were also present, including Mrs. C. G. Smith, Mrs. William Stark, and Mrs. R. L. Baird. In the absence of the president, Mrs. Corbin, the secretary, presided and plans for the year were made. The club will devote a large portion of its time to Red Cross work this winter, taking up both the knitting and the making of hospital garments, but will also continue its literary work. A short musical program, which gave much pleasure to the members, was given by Mrs. Lee Read and Miss Frances Ackert. Enjoyable refreshments were served. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Corbin.

To Washington Girls' School
Miss Rosanna Dement left for Washington, D. C., on Wednesday, and will again enter Miss Madeira's School for Girls. Her sister, Miss Carmen, and Miss Mary Morrison accompanied her as far as Chicago, as did the two girls they were entertaining, the Misses Howard and Boves, the former from Latrobe, Pa., and the latter of Evanston. Miss Howard and Miss Boves were former students of Miss Madeira's school, as were Miss Carmen Dement and Miss Morrison. Miss Morrison is planning this year to enter the University of Wisconsin at Madison after the Christmas holidays.

Married This Morning.
George F. Remmers and Miss Susan B. Moser, both of Dixon, were united in marriage at 10 o'clock this morning at the groom's home, 706 First street, Dr. F. D. Altman, pastor of St. Paul's Lutheran church, performing the ring ceremony in the presence of a few friends and relatives of the family. The couple were attended by Alfred Moser, a brother of the bride; Mrs. Caroline Remmers, mother of the groom, and his daughter, Miss Gladys. The newly-weds left on the 11 o'clock train for a short visit in Chicago, after which they will return to Dixon to make their future home.

Women Golfers to Freeport.
In Freeport the coming Tuesday the second game in the Freeport-Polo-Dixon golf tournament of women golfers will be played off at the Country Club grounds there. The first match was played off at Polo a couple of weeks ago, Freeport winning. The Dixon women playing are Miss Franc Ingraham, Mrs. Rosbrook, Miss Squires, Miss Carmen Dement, Miss Alice Rice, Mrs. Boynton, Miss Staples, Mrs. Sullivan, Mrs. Evans, and Miss Todd.

To Study in New York
Miss Helen Brinton left Friday for New York City where she will remain for the winter pursuing her studies in landscape gardening. Miss Brinton has completed the course in landscape gardening offered by the University of Illinois and for the past year has studied architecture as related to the landscape gardening in the office of M. H. Vail.

To Camp Grant
Mrs. Stephanich and daughter, Miss Florence, Mrs. G. Stitzel and daughter, Miss Joy, with Mr. G. Messer as driver, will motor to Rockford Sunday and visit Gilbert Stephanich, the former's son, who is stationed at Camp Grant.

O. E. S. To Sew.
Members of the O. E. S. A Prior club in coming to the meeting Monday afternoon at Masonic hall, should remember to bring their sewing kits, as sewing for the Red Cross will be the work of the afternoon.

Will Go to California
Mrs. Martha Cole, of Medford, Oregon, writes to Dixon friends that it is extremely cold in Oregon just now for a supposedly warm climate. In January she expects to go to California, spending two months in San Luis Obispo, Los Angeles, Santa Barbara, Long Beach, and Santa Ana.

Entertained at College
Mr. and Mrs. Harry Warner entertained friends at their cottage Thursday evening. The trip was made in the John Davies launch.

At J. P. Drew Home
Miss Orville Drew and baby daughter are here from Chicago, guests at the J. P. Drew home in Palmyra.

With Mrs. Stitzel
Mrs. R. H. Sheldon, of Rock Falls, is the guest of Mrs. George Stitzel.

Stjernan Club
The Stjernan Club will meet Monday evening, Oct. 1, with Mrs. H. A. Brooks.

G. A. R. Circle
G. A. R. Circle will meet Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at G. A. R. hall. Important matters are to be discussed and it is hoped that the attendance will be large.

To Visit Mrs. Moss
Mrs. Fred Coleman of Chicago is expected next week for a visit with Mrs. Z. W. Moss.

Out from City
Hill Leith will arrive this evening from Chicago for an over Sunday visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Leith.

Farewell Reception

The reception, given Friday evening at the home of Frank Pratt for Mr. and Mrs. John Byington and Mrs. Byington, was a delightful affair, participated in largely by members of the Baptist church. Sixty-five were present. Mr. and Mrs. Byington and Mrs. Byington leave soon for Rockford to make their home and their leaving will mean a great loss to the Baptist church, as they are all faithful workers. Mr. Byington has been the Sunday School Superintendent for years, and had served as chairman of the music committee and as a deacon of the church. An informal program of music was enjoyed. Mrs. Ballou and Mrs. Lee Read gave a beautiful vocal number and responded to applause with an encore and the Misses Lucille Miller and Florence Stackpole also gave a charming duet. Mr. and Mrs. Byington were presented with a handsome cut glass vase by the company, Rev. G. W. Stoddard making the presentation speech, and voicing in it the regret that is felt because Mr. and Mrs. Byington are leaving Dixon. Mrs. Byington was presented with a handsome camo pin. Refreshments were served in the dining room where garden flowers were attractively arranged. Mrs. Harry Chiverton, Mrs. Winn, and Mrs. Kerz dispensed the frappe and cake.

Service Flags
People've been asking about the service flag. It's a very good looking oblong of red with an interior of long of white. On this white are large dark blue stars telling how many men of the household are serving their country—not selling goods and buying Liberty Loan or doing Red Cross or Y. M. C. A., but men who are in camp, under arms.

A few are to be seen in windows of Dixon homes. The flags may be bought in the department stores of the larger cities.

To Serve Institute Luncheon
The Willing Workers class of the Sugar Grove Sunday School met Friday evening at the church holding a business session, at which it was decided to serve luncheon for those attending the meeting of the Palmyra township's Farmers' Institute to be held at the Sugar Grove church October 20th. Fifteen members and one guest were present. Light refreshments were served. At the next meeting, to be held in November, officers will be elected and a cranberry supper will be enjoyed.

Dance Wednesday Eve
On the evening of Wednesday, October 2d, the members of G. A. R. Circle will give a dance at Rosbrook hall, a benefit dance for the patriotic work of the society. The Marquette orchestra will play. Every one is invited.

Attended Monument's Unveiling
Miss Mary Morgan has returned from Elkhart, Indiana, where as the guest of the regiment of which her late father was colonel, she witnessed the unveiling of the monument to the regiment.

Hamburger Fry
Mrs. Kleppinger's Class of the M. E. Sunday School enjoyed a delightful picnic with a scramble supper and hamburger fry at Lowell Park last evening. A number of friends were invited to enjoy the picnic with the class.

To Entertain at Luncheon
Mr. and Mrs. Joseph P. Plummer, of Bluff Park, will entertain Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Fuller and Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Durkes, at luncheon, on Sunday evening.

With Dixon Relatives
Miss Mildred Winders of Deep River, Iowa, is the guest of her cousin, Miss Pauline Fulton, her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Winders and other Dixon relatives.

With Friend
Miss Gertrude Bradfield, of Ontario, California, who has been visiting in Chicago, is now the guest of her friend, Miss Erma Shauter, who formerly resided in Ontario, Cal.

Week With Dixon Friends
The Misses Marie Sharkey and Nora Rowley, who have been spending the week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Cooper, have returned to their homes in Aurora and DeKalb.

Guest at Parsonage
Miss Anna C. Powers of Streator is a guest at the home of Rev. and Mrs. G. W. Stoddard for an over Sunday visit.

From Chicago
John Schell is here from Chicago, the guest of his mother and brother.

With Sister
Miss Vernie Smice of Palmyra is a guest at the home of her sister, Mrs. Albert Handly, of near Polo.

To Sunday in Oregon
Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lager and Miss Mary Wynn left today for Oregon for an over Sunday visit with Miss Gantz.

Motorized to Oregon
The Meedams Clarence Schuck and Minnie H. Ankeny and the Misses Mary Schuck, Carrie Hess, and Margaret Martin motored to Oregon Thursday in the Schuck car and dined at Sinnissippi hotel. They stopped at the Lowden farm on the way.

Unique Gift from Houston
Horace Ortt, who is with the 123 U. S. Artillery at Camp Logan, Houston, Tex., has sent his mother, Mrs. R. K. Ortt, a novel basket—in fact we are almost sure no one else in Dixon has a basket like it, as it is made from the shell of an armadillo. The tail forms the handle. That strange little creature, the armadillo, is found in South America most commonly but sometimes wanders into Mexico and it is probable that some Mexican brought the basket into Texas to sell. Mrs.

Ortt is awaiting a letter from her son explaining the basket.

With Miss Staples
The Woman's Auxiliary of the Presbyterian Church will hold their regular meeting Tuesday evening, October 2d with Miss Mary Staples, N. Galena Avenue. Miss Helen Brown, Mrs. W. T. Thomson and Mrs. Harry Lager will be assisting hostesses. The evening will be spent on Red Cross sewing.

Peoria Ave. Club
The Peoria Ave. Club will hold its first meeting Monday at Miss Florence Bosworth's summer cottage in Grand Detour. A picnic dinner will be a feature of the meeting. This, the first meeting of the third year of the club, will be made an especially delightful affair. The club members will leave Dixon at 10 o'clock for Grand Detour and after the picnic dinner an appropriate program will be given.

Picknicked at Lowell
The Sophomore class of the Dixon high school and friends drawn from the other classes of the high school, to the number of about seventy-five, went to Lowell Park last evening for a picnic supper. Some of the teachers served as chaperons. After the supper dancing was enjoyed until quite late in the evening.

Phidian Art Club Program
The Phidian Art Club, meeting the afternoon of October 2d with Mrs. L. D. Dement, will have, in addition to the president's address by Mrs. M. R. Forsyth, the following interesting program:

Miss Alice Coppins' number will be a double one: "Souvenir de Tschakowsky," arranged by G. J. Prinkauf, and "The Land of the Sky Blue Water," by Cadman. Miss Coppins will be accompanied on the piano by her sister, Miss Eleanor.

Miss Howell's readings will be selected from Robert W. Service's "Rhymes of a Red Cross Man." The closing number on the program, a double piano number by Miss Winnifred Roe, will consist of Chopin's "Valse Brillante—Opus 34, No. 2" and his "Nocturne—Opus 9, No. 2."

To Reside in Dixon.
Mr. and Mrs. Billings of Milwaukee, now of Dixon, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Batheider and will be with them until they get settled in their new home. Mr. Billings is in charge of the Rodesch Piano Co. The family will be a welcome addition to Dixon, as all the members are charming and are musicians.

Will Marry Soon.
Quite a little excitement and much curiosity is being aroused by a rumor that a marriage, concerning two well known Dixon people, is soon to take place. And, to excite curiosity a little more, that's all we're going to tell.

At C. H. Noble Home.
Mr. and Mrs. Carson and Mrs. Little, Mrs. Carson's mother, of Iowa City, are guests at the C. H. Noble home. The trip was made by motor. Mrs. Little and Mrs. Carson formerly lived in Dixon. Mr. Little was proprietor of the Washington House.

To Rockford.
Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Prescott and family of this city, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Hoover of Princeton and Mr. and Mrs. Ferris of Walnut will form a party to drive to Rockford, Cantonment Sunday.

Visited in Dixon.
Miss Alice Benson of Chicago, who has been a guest at the Mrs. Loneragan home and of other Dixon relatives, has returned home.

From DeKalb.
Miss Ruth Crawford and her roommate at the DeKalb Normal, Miss Derr, came today to spend Sunday at Miss Crawford's home.

To Chicago.
Miss Alma Moeller and brother, Seavey will go to Chicago tomorrow to visit their sisters, Mrs. Wise and Miss Caroline Moeller.

LIBRARY FUND GROWING
In addition to the contributions listed in Friday evening's paper for the Library fund for soldiers, there are today:
South Dixon H. S. \$14.00
Prof. W. F. Strong 1.00
Thursday Reading Circle 5.00
Mary Morgan 1.00
A. J. Holland 1.00
Hughes and Louise Brewster 1.00
Mrs. Frank Brookner 1.00
Miss Inez J. Harrington 1.00
The fund to date is \$121.99.

Mrs. Ida Hackett and son Clarence of Chicago, here as guests at the Wm. Rink home, spent Friday in Mendota and Thursday in Sterling, visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Moon and family also plan to visit the boys at Camp Grant.

The Wesley Hoyle family will go to Camp Grant tomorrow to visit a son, Russell Hoyle, who is in the cantonment.

Misses Bess Blackburn, Blanche O'Malley, Mary Gorham and Florence Watts will visit the camp tomorrow.

TROUBLES.
In life troubles will come which look as if they never would pass away. The night and the storm look as if they would last forever, but the calm and the morning cannot be stopped.

ARE BEING TAUGHT AMERICAN WAYS

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HOME TRAINING HAS BEEN POOR

Hitherto They Have Drifted Into Extravagant Life of Buenos Aires.

Buenos Aires, Argentine.—One of the foremost problems as present in this country of millionaire land owners is the practical training of the sons of rich farmers to enable them to take a useful place in the conduct of the large enterprises which they inherit. It is comparatively easy for these young men to drift into the luxurious, extravagant life of Buenos Aires and to follow the example of many who spend their vacations in Paris and their time while at home in the rich clubs or at the race courses. Here, as in many a republic of South America, the old Spanish ideals of living comfortably without work, persist among the wealthy classes, and the schools that are founded and carried on to counteract directly these deteriorating influences seem all too rare.

A visit to the Instituto Ward, a commercial school carried on largely through the munificence of George F. Ward of New York, in memory of his mother, is an instance of going thousands of miles away from home in order to learn of the far-reaching philanthropy of American business men.

The Instituto Ward is charmingly located in a typical large Argentine home, in Rivadavia, the beautiful residence boulevard of the capital. In this institution there are gathered at present half a hundred of the picked sons of wealthy "estancia" owners from different parts of Argentina. The boys find here, not only a school where they are taught mathematics, bookkeeping, stenography and typewriting, but also a place for development of the character, which is even more essential just now for these strategic pioneers of this new country.

As a rule, these boys come from homes where little attention has been given to their moral upbringing or discipline. Their fathers, in many instances, have made money so fast through the rise of land values that they have been fairly bewildered by the superabundance of their wealth, and the result has been a growing belief on their part that money, quite regardless of character, is enough of endowment with which to start their sons in life. With the closer contact with foreigners in trade, and also by reason of the visits of some of these South Americans to the United States, the impression is slowly making its way felt among them that in order to fit their boys for competition in the enlarging enterprises of the republic they must have a knowledge of the English language, some all around physical training and, more than all, a more careful attention to their personal habits. It is for this reason that such private institutions as the Instituto Ward are chosen by Argentines in preference to the Government commercial schools, where little attention is given to the kind of training that has made private preparatory schools in the United States like the great public schools of England, the training places of many of the men of great integrity and of leadership.

When the boys come to the Instituto Ward they are placed at once under a regime of discipline which is regarded as vital to the development of their manliness. They fall at once into a school routine of regular hours, rising with the other boys at 6:15 a. m. and taking their gymnasium drill before breakfast and the class work of the day begins. The afternoons between 3:30 and 5 o'clock are devoted to recreation and special personal interviews with the teachers in relation to their studies. The school has first-class football and basketball teams, which compete with other teams in the neighborhood, and the idea of fair play and good sportsmanship which these games are giving to the youth of schools throughout the world is being instilled in these future business men of Argentina.

The religious element is not neglected, and each evening after dinner the students meet in the large drawing room for songs and a semi-devotional exercise. A brief talk is given by one of the 12 efficient teachers who make up the faculty of the institution. As the boys live in the home, careful attention is given to the way in which they spend their evenings, and at 9:20 every student is expected to retire.

But He Isn't Always.
When the young son is spoken of by the relatives as a chip of the old block it is natural to assume that his father, being the head of the family, must necessarily be an old blockhead.

GRACE U. E. CHURCH
Rev. J. O. Duffey, Pastor.
Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.
Morning Service, 10:45.
K. L. C. E., 6:30 p. m.
Preaching Service, 7:30.

GERMAN LUTHERAN EMMANUEL
Rev. G. A. Graf, pastor.
Sunday School, 9:30.
No other services as the pastor will speak at the Mission Festival in Mendota.

METHODIST CHURCH
Rev. E. C. Lumsden, Pastor.
Sunday School, 9:45.
Rev. Joseph Beech will preach at this service, and this will be the last opportunity to hear Rev. Beech as he leaves next week for China.
There will be no evening service.
Epworth League at 6:30.

SUGAR GROVE CHURCH
Preaching Service at Sugar Grove on Sunday at 2:30 p. m. Rev. A. J. Holland will preach.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Rev. A. J. Holland, D. D., Pastor
Sabbath School, 9:45 a. m.
Dr. S. W. Lehman, Adult Bible Class Teacher.

Morning Worship, 10:45.
Subject, "When God Makes Ready".
Evening Service, 7:30.
Subject, "In the Time of His Youth".
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STERLING FOR TREASURER.

That Fred E. Sterling, editor in chief of the Rockford Register Gazette
and chairman of the Republican State Central committee, may be a candi-
date for State Treasurer on the republican ticket next year, is information
that will be of considerable interest, and exceedingly welcome information,
to his many friends in Dixon and Lee county. Fred E. Sterling was born in
Dixon, and Dixon is proud of Fred Sterling.

The following comments on his candidacy show the sort of a reception
his candidacy will get:

CHICAGO EVENING POST—The interest over the State Treasurer
race next year will be only secondary to the senatorial fight. Fred E. Ster-
ling, newspaper publisher of Rockford, is the leading candidate and because
of his work as chairman of the Republican State Central committee in the
last campaign, is certain to have the backing of the entire organization over
the state and this thought will disturb the ambitions of some who may want
to contest for the office. To help them downstate, each of the Cook county
senatorial rivals will try to tie their candidacies to that of Fred Sterling. It
is as certain as anything that he will carry the downstate territory—and
Cook county, too, for he is popular with all factions—and this will precipi-
tate a grand scramble to see which one of them will get on the same slate
with him.

HARVARD HERALD—Next year Illinois will nominate candidates for
state treasurer and superintendent of public instruction, as well as candi-
dates for congress in every district in the state and a U. S. senator. Though
a trifle early, it is said friends of Fred E. Sterling, editor of the Rockford
Register Gazette and chairman of the Republican State committee are anx-
ious that he seek the nomination for state treasurer in the primaries to be
held next fall. Mr. Sterling has to his credit his work as head of the state
committee in the campaign a year ago, when Illinois rolled up a tremendous
majority and a long service of party work, as well as his connection with
one of the best inland papers in Illinois. If Mr. Sterling should enter the
list of candidates, he will find ardent supporters in every part of the state.

SYCAMORE TRIBUNE—Thomas H. Brennan says in the Chicago Ev-
ening Post:

"Fred E. Sterling of Rockford will be the leading candidate for state
treasurer next year and because of his work as chairman of the Republican
State committee, is certain to have the backing of the entire organization
forces throughout the state and this thought will disturb the ambitions of
some who may want to contest for the office."

The editor of the Tribune has known Fred Sterling since the day he
was born. We were born within a city block of each other over in old Dixon.
He's a big man all around and just as square and true as he is big. He is at
the head of a big newspaper in a big town. He grasps big question in patri-
otic and unselfish way. In his management of the last campaign of his party
he smashed all records in the may of majorities and if he desires to be-
come our next treasurer his party and its members should be good sol-
diers and fall in with the idea, because it's going to win. The Tribune is for
Fred Sterling.

HINCKLEY REVIEW—The word has been going the rounds recently
that big, jovial Fred Sterling of Rockford will be a candidate for the Repub-
lican nomination for state treasurer next year. Fred Sterling is one of the
greatest men of northern Illinois; he has been a prime factor in the devel-
opment of this part of the state for many years and as editor of the great
Rockford Register Gazette he has been able to exert an influence that has
been for nothing but the best welfare of this part of the state, as well as
Illinois as a whole. His greatest political achievement was his management of
the recent campaign, when he was chairman of the Republican State com-
mittee and carried Lowden and the entire state ticket to victory with the
greatest majority ever given any candidate for governor.

TRAITORS TO AMERICA.

Residents of this country who are opposing the progress the govern-
ment is trying to make in wiping out Prussianism deserve to be sent back
from whence they came, and they should be sent back with the same amount
of worldly goods they had when they landed here.

Treasonable talk obstructs the work of the Red Cross, recruiting, Lib-
erty Bond sales, and in many other ways giving aid and comfort to the en-
emy. The men and women who indulge in it are enemies to America and
they should be treated as such. Everything they have they have been given
by the nation of their adoption. They came here, most of them, to be freed
from the tyranny of their kings and emperors at home. This war is to free
the people they left behind them of that same tyranny, yet, safe from it in
free America, they object to giving aid in this great struggle for humanity.

THE LEAST YOU CAN DO IS GIVE.

If you can't go to war you can give to the things that will make it eas-
ier for those who do go to war to fight the nation's battles. You can give to
the Company M "Comfort Fund" and you can donate to the army library
fund. And there will be countless other donations asked for if the war keeps
on, and you must give, give, give while your money lasts and you can earn
more, for your money given to help these boys is a minor sacrifice compared
to the one the boys are making.

Bernstorff said when he failed to keep the U. S. out of war that his
career was ruined. The career of many a porch climber has been ruined by
the appearance of a policeman.

City In Brief

J. E. Moyer visited Chicago
Thursday.

—If you are looking for office
rooms, large light, hardwood finish,
with the largest circulation of any
unwiring water, electric light and gas. Lee county paper. We were recently

you will find them in the Evening Tel-
graph Building, Phone No. 5.

James Ackman and family of Ta-
ber, Ill., formerly of this city, arriv-
ed today for a short visit with rela-
tives.

The Telegraph is the oldest paper
with the largest circulation of any
unwiring water, electric light and gas. Lee county paper. We were recently

given an audit by the Audit Bureau
of Circulations. Every advertiser will
realize the importance of this.

Harry Ackerman and family went
to Rockford today to make their fu-
ture home.

—Send the Telegraph to the Sol-
dier boy. It will be as good as a let-
ter from home each day.

Lieutenant Jason Miller of this city
and Lieutenant W. L. Velle of Rock
Island were members of a party of of-
ficers who were here today in Lieut.
Velle's car.

Harry Fuhs made a business trip
to Chicago Thursday.

States Attorney Edwards and
Deputy Sheriff Schoenholz were in
Chicago Thursday.

—Calling cards printed or engrav-
ed, B. F. Shaw Ptg. Co., Dixon,
Ill.

W. L. Douglas, salesman for Ed-
son-Keith Millinery house, was in
Dixon Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lou Gilton have
moved to Withee, Wis., which they
expect to make their home. Mr.
Gilton has purchased a farm near
Withee.

—All goods sold by Wolf Chemical
Co. are guaranteed to give satisfac-
tion. Sold by Prescott & Schildberg.

Mrs. Chas. Krug and Mr. and
Mrs. George Aschenbrenner visited
friends in Ashton on Thursday.

Mrs. George Seebing of R. 2
was here Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Wendel of
Ashton were in Dixon Friday.

The Telegraph is a member of
the Audit Bureau of Circulations.
This means everything to the Ad-
vertiser.

—Mrs. Clara Bush, registered chi-
ropodist, will be at Miss Blackburn's
Shampoo Parlors on Friday of each
week. Phone 881 for appointments.

The Telegraph is the largest and
oldest paper in Lee County—now in
its sixth year. The only paper in
Lee County that is a member of the
Audit Bureau of Circulation.

Mrs. Frank Downing and daugh-
ter have returned from a visit in
Evanston and Chicago.

Mrs. J. T. Anderson, of Minnea-
polis, is quite ill at the home of her
sister, Mrs. Robert Anderson.

Arthur Kramber returned to El-
gin after a few days' visit with his
brother, Henry Kramber, of N. Ot-
tawa Ave. Mr. Kramber is engaged
in the meat market business at El-
gin.

ACTIVE FARMERS ARE U. S. INSTRUCTS

GOVERNMENT INSTRUCTS THE
EXEMPTION BOARDS TO
USE CARE.

Freeport, Sept. 29.—That Uncle
Sam is taking extra care for the con-
servation of the crops and also look-
ing forward to the planting of crops
next year is manifest by telegrams to
district boards in which the boards
are cautioned to use precaution in cer-
tifying to service men actively en-
gaged in farm work.

Today it was stated by the district
board that the full quota for Carroll
county had been certified and that it
would be necessary to issue another
call. The only selection board in this
district which now has not a full quota
is Rockford district No. 2.

BOTH LEGS PARALYZED,
BUT HOW HE COULD RUN!

"Crippled" Beggar Beats Dog in Long
Chase and Climbs Tree.

Stony Point, N. Y.—Altho he offend-
ed a score of residents, Andrew Cur-
ran, a newly arrived beggar, was not
arrested. Each time he was identi-
fied by complainants they refused to
prosecute him because he was to all
appearances crippled and was com-
pelled to use crutches. But finally he
was arrested and previous charges
will be brought against him.

Two jars of fruit were resting on
the fence of the home of Eric Beemer
when Curran came along, placed one
arm around one of the jars and start-
ed off. Brindle, the watch dog of the
Beemer home, saw the fruit vanish
leaped the fence and started in pur-
suit.

Curran, despite his supposedly par-
alyzed legs, ran six blocks and climb-
ed a tree.

STEALS TURKEY; FINED \$500

Man Also Is Sentenced to Six Months
in Prison.

Terre Haute, Ind.—Joseph Fergu-
son, a negro who stole a turkey from
a cold storage house was fined \$500
and sentenced to six months in prison
by Judge Newton.

The biggest fish are caught with
hook and lyn.

"Q" USING FLAYERS

Mr. Morris, Sept. 29.—B. & Q. offi-
cials are using Ford cars with flange
wheels in traveling over their line for
inspection purposes. They run on a
schedule and make a speed of 30 to
40 miles an hour and declare it to be
the most convenient way for the offi-
cials as well as the cheapest way to
get about. One of the cars passed thru
here this week.

Ordered To Camp Grant At Rockford Next Thurseay

1572 Floyd P. Drew	Dixon
945 Peter P. Barr	Dixon
1732 P. D. McCaffrey	Marion
1831 Walter D. Heckman	Nelson
514 Wm F. Gewecke	Brooklyn
1705 Chas F. Gascoigne	Lee Center
1922 E. H. Jeanguenat	Nelson
2479 Perry Bennett	Wyoming
513 J. H. Aughenbush	Brooklyn
2066 Alex S. Henry	Reynolds
772 Theo L. Trouth	Dixon
1769 Henry A. Johns	Marion
539 Henry F. Montavon	Brooklyn
2135 John Walter Jr.	Reynolds
2128 R. W. Zimmerman	Wyoming
2454 G. W. Zimmerman	Dixon
1141 Michael W. Drew	Wyoming
2503 Sidney C. Stewart	Wyoming
2532 Robert M. Latimer	Wyoming
391 Wesley J. Attig	Ashton
2396 Victor C. Haines	Scarboro
2024 Clyde J. Shore	Palmyra
1217 L. J. Feldkirchner	Dixon
72 Earl J. Sauter	Alto
356 Floyd Kuykendall	Ashton
2116 Thos B. Clapper	Reynolds
909 P. J. Odenthal	Dixon
1142 Chas. Nagle	Dixon
1765 Fred Luke	Marion
327 Frank E. Chapman	Ashton
664 Walter H. Gilton	China
1557 Ray Allen Gardner	Dixon
2462 John N. Prentice	Wyoming
1151 Oscar W. Eckberg	Dixon
1187 Thomas L. Rossiter	Dixon
1355 Dwight C. Rolph	Dixon
1256 Alvin S. Madison	Dixon
944 W. W. Hutchinson	Dixon
1070 James W. Mulock	Dixon
1347 Flave Waldo Plock	Dixon

ALTERNATES:

NO PROOF AGAINST ANY CONGRESSMAN

LANSING SAYS EVIDENCE DOES
NOT IMPLICATE ANY
MEMBER.

LOWER HOUSE IS EXCITED

(Associated Press Leased Wire)
Washington, Sept. 29.—The Ger-
man "slush" fund broke out again on
the floor of the house today with the
presentation of a letter from Chair-
man Pou of the rules committee from
Secretary Lansing, declaring the state
department had no evidence indi-
cating that any member of congress had
any connection with von Bernstorff's
\$50,000 fund.

The climax came at the end of a
gusty session of the house, which did
not approve the action of the rules
committee in refusing to begin inves-
tigation of Heflin's charges that cer-
tain congressmen acted suspiciously
about the time Count von Bernstorff
was asking his government to author-
ize the expenditure of \$50,000 to in-
fluence congress.

Denies Norton Is Disloyal.

Norton, who had led the attack on
Heflin for his charges, had gone over
to the Democratic side to talk to Hef-
lin. The row broke out at once, the
two men clinched and fell over on a
row of seats, while friends from both
sides of the hall piled around and sepa-
rated them before blows were struck.

"Did you ever say that I was dis-
loyal?" Norton says he asked Heflin.

"No," Heflin replied.

Norton then made some remark
about his being as loyal as anyone

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CUT DOWN SUGAR AND CANDY A THIRD

STATE FOOD ADMINISTRATION
ISSUES APPEAL TO ALL
ILLINOIS FOLKS.

(Associated Press)

Chicago, Sept. 29.—Illinois people
are asked to reduce their use of sugar
and candy by one-third in a state-
ment issued today by H. A. Wheeler,
state food administrator, after his re-
turn from a conference with Herbert
Hoover, national food administrator.

Mr. Wheeler said, in explaining a
necessity for reduced sugar consump-
tion in America: "The French govern-
ment has asked to be allowed to ex-
port 100,000 tons of sugar from the
U. S. next month and probably at a
later period. Our own supply is suf-
ficient for normal up to next January,
when the new crop from the West In-
dies will be available. We normally
consume about 90 pounds of sugar a
person each year, while the French
are on a ration of about 21 pounds a
person yearly. The Italian and Eng-
lish consumption is slightly larger.
For two months the French will be
entirely without sugar unless we can
spare some.

"We do not ask the people to cut
down the use of sugar in canning and
preserving fruits, but in the use of
sugar on the table we can easily spare
enough to help our main ally over a
short period. However, Mr. Hoover is
not asking seizure of sugar supplies
or even compulsory canning. He is de-
pending upon the patriotism and fair
dealing of the American people to
show the world that a democracy can
do things willingly that an autocracy
cannot accomplish by dictator meth-
ods."

—FOR RENT. Large modern down
stairs room. Enquire at Tetrick's Gro-
cery. 228 2

—Why not send your soldier boy
the Evening Telegraph. It will cost
but \$3.30 a year by mail or \$2.00
or six months.

Charles C. Adair of Polo was in
Dixon Friday.

MANY WILL VISIT CAMP GRANT SUNDAY

LEE COUNTY BOYS AT ROCKFORD
TRAINING CAMP ENJOY
VISITORS.

The Lee county boys forming Co.
M of the 342nd infantry at Camp
Grant are anticipating many visitors
from home Sunday. Last Sunday the
barracks was the mecca of tourists
from this vicinity and nearly every-
one who visited the boys took them
what is always welcome to the sol-
dier boy, something good to eat. They
had a veritable feast and will prob-
ably enjoy the same experience to-
morrow.

One thing the boys will greatly ap-
preciate is records for the Victrola
which the T. J. Miller & Sons music
store presented to them. They have a
number of records but as the machine
is kept going at nearly all hours when
the soldiers are in their recreation
room some new numbers on the rep-
ertoire would be very acceptable. Ev-
eryone who has a phonograph has re-
ords which they can spare.

The Lee county boys are in bar-
racks 915 North, and can easily be
found. Visitors are permitted to enter
the grounds and can drive in with
their cars.

Dramatic Notes

PRINCESS THEATRE

Tonight the Princess will present
Jimmie Dale in "Devil's Work," a 2-
reel detective story. Paddy McGuire,
in a two reel comedy and Geo. Ovey
in a one reel Cub comedy will also be
shown.

Devotees of Bluebird Photoplays
will hail with delight the announce-
ment that Mary MacLaren will be
seen at the Princess Sunday in an-
other of Lois Weber's productions,
"The Mysterious Mrs. M." This pretty
girl was discovered by Miss Weber
and introduced to Bluebirds in Shoes,
a play that was sensationally success-
ful. Later on she appeared as star of
"Saving the Family Name" and
"Wanted—A Home," both Bluebirds
of agreeable memory. Harrison Ford
comes now as Miss MacLaren's lead-
ing man, in the presentation of a mys-
tery play that will hold its suspense
undiminished until the very end of
the story.

—Do you Healo—the best foot
powder on the market. Sold by all
leading druggists.

DAVID ANKENY

223 First St.,—Under Union State Bank

New and Second-Hand Shoes

Machine and Hand-Sewed.
Shoes MADE TO ORDER

REPAIR WORK OF ALL KINDS

A NEW Telephone Directory Goes to Press October 3rd

Order a Telephone Now and get your
name in the new book.

Call No. 18

DIXON HOME TELE-
PHONE COMPANY



"LIKE A LETTER FROM HOME TO THE BOYS GONE TO WAR"

THAT is what The Dixon Evening Telegraph
will mean to the boys who have gone from
this county and this city to enter the training
camps and various branches of the army and navy.

News of their home, their friends, and the
happenings of the community will mean more to
these boys who have gone to defend the nation's
honor than can be estimated in words.

The Evening Telegraph costs \$3.00 per year,
\$2.00 for six months, and \$1.00 for three months,
sent by mail anywhere in the United States.

If your boy has gone to war, send him his
home paper. If you have no boy in the army,
send the paper to some one else's boy. You may
be sure of his appreciation.

THE DIXON EVENING TELEGRAPH

ALLIES WARNED OF SHIP LOSSES

U. S. Must Build Fast to Transport Army and Feed Nations.

HEAVY TOLL BY SUBMARINES

British Controller Says England's Losses Since February Approximate Total Before That Period.

London, Sept. 29.—British shipping losses since the beginning of the unrestricted submarine campaign last February now approximate the total losses before that period, according to a statement authorized by the controller of shipping. The statement indicated it was reasonable to expect Germany to destroy next spring 200 vessels more than could be built in the meantime.

Army Useless Without Ships. The controller of shipping authorized the following statement of the shipping situation and the urgent need for the United States to undertake a merchant shipbuilding program on a broad scale:

"It is of the utmost importance that the United States should realize that the shortage of shipping is the most vital fact in the present situation and the building of merchant ships is of the utmost importance.

"However large and powerful the army which the United States trains during the winter, it may be rendered absolutely useless as an addition to the fighting forces against Germany if there are no ships to transport it except at the cost of stopping the flow of vital necessities to the present armies.

"The loss of shipping since the beginning of the ruthless U-boat war is now roughly equal to the total losses prior to that time. By next spring Germany may be expected to destroy 200 vessels in excess of what are built in the meantime.

"Next spring this year's harvest will be largely exhausted and the need of supplying Italy, France and Great Britain will be largely increased. At the same moment the United States will need a large increase in vessels to transport its army and maintain it."

U. S. ARMY AGAINST STRIKE

Statement Says Delay on Building Ships Aids Enemy.

San Francisco, Sept. 29.—United States army authorities here issued a declaration pointing out that "any delay or obstruction in the shipbuilding program is one which favors our enemy, the German nation, and delays and obstructs the termination of the war."

Every day of the strike of the 30,000 men in the San Francisco bay district, the statement points out, prolongs the conflict.

Not a wheel turned yesterday in any of the big shipbuilding plants around San Francisco bay, although this was the day set for resumption of work under a temporary agreement reached by employers and the Iron Trades' council in an effort to end the strike, which has paralyzed shipbuilding for ten days.

Following announcement by the boiler-makers' union that its members would refuse to accept the temporary agreement, the employers kept their plants closed. Thousands of strikers appeared for work, but found the gates locked.

SOLDIER POLICIES AT \$7,500

House Allowances for Total Disabilities Reduced \$10 Monthly.

Washington, Sept. 29.—Reduction from \$10,000 to \$7,500 in the maximum amount of individual insurance was made in the soldiers' and sailors' insurance bill, drawn by Judge Julian Mack, as completed by a senate finance subcommittee. To full committee will consider the revised draft today. As revised, the bill will permit soldiers to take out government insurance at reduced rates in \$500 multiples. The only other important change is to require policyholders, within five years after the war, to convert their term policies into a standard form. House allowances to soldiers and sailors totally disabled were reduced \$10 monthly and would range from \$39 to \$75, according to the number of dependents. Death allowances were unchanged.

HURRICANE HITS THE SOUTH

100-Mile Gale Sweeps Florida and Mississippi Coast Towns.

New Orleans, Sept. 29.—A 100-mile-an-hour hurricane which is whipping northward has already damaged Pensacola, Fla., reached a velocity of 95 miles an hour at Mobile and threatens to sweep the entire Mississippi coast. The Mississippi coast from Waveland to Scranton is now in the path of the worst storm of the year, which has a diameter of 300 miles. Eleven fishing boats with crews of 45 are missing and it is feared that they have perished. Business and traffic has been suspended in all coast towns, as preparations are made for the worst hurricane in years. It is believed that New Orleans lies outside the storm path.

Football game between Freeport and Dixon tomorrow at 2:30 at the Country Club.

HEFLIN FELLE BY REP. NORTON

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In the house, and Hefflin told him to go away.

"You get out of here," Hefflin is reported to have said, starting to rise in his seat.

Norton stood still, while Hefflin sprang up and grasped Norton by the coat lapels.

Norton Falls on Top of Hefflin.

The two men grappled for a moment and then fell over, with Norton on top. Immediately the house was in an uproar. Speaker Clark banged for order, while members leaped over seats and down aisles to reach the struggling men. The sergeant at arms hurriedly grasping the mace, his badge of authority, ran toward the combatants. Disorder reigned in the galleries, where people rose from their seats and rushed to the rail to see into the pit of the house.

Members Demand Probe.

Friends separated the men without difficulty and led them to the cloakroom. The only marks of combat showed on Norton's white collar and Hefflin's usually immaculate white shirt front.

Order was restored as quickly as it had been disturbed.

PERSHING MAN HIT BY BOMB

Lieutenant From Philadelphia Wounded During Air Raid.

Petrograd, Sept. 29.—Premier Kerensky addressed the democratic congress at its first session in the municipal theater, receiving applause which came principally from the radical groups of delegates.

M. Kerensky was interrupted frequently by cheers. "Cheer, my friends, if you will," said M. Kerensky when he was able to make himself heard. "But bear in mind that a German fleet is moving up the Baltic."

The delegates of the right jeered the Bolsheviks, asking them why they did not cheer the premier's remark, inasmuch as the Germans were their friends.

Twelve hundred delegates from all portions of Russia were in attendance. All the members of the provisional government were present.

The Russians have captured Oronau, 24 miles west of Meri in the Caucasus.

MANIAC IS SLAIN BY POSSE

Wealthy Illinoisan Shot After Threatening Family.

Yorkville, Ill., Sept. 29.—John Conover, one of the wealthiest farmers of this district, an escaped inmate of the Elgin State Hospital for the Insane, was shot to death by a posse after being surrounded in a barn on his farm, near here. For a time Conover held off the posse with a shotgun. Escaping from the hospital three months ago, Conover showed up at his farm and threatened to kill his wife and five children. Help was summoned and Conover barricaded himself.

U-BOAT IS SUNK BY JAPS

Destroyers Engage in Battle With U-Boats Off Coast of Spain.

Vancouver, B. C., Sept. 29.—The Canadian News, a Japanese daily newspaper published here, received a special cable from Tokyo saying it was reported in Tokyo that Japanese destroyers in a fight with German U-boats off the coast of Spain, near Barcelona, had sent one submarine to the bottom.

COTTON STALK WASTE AMOUNTS TO MILLIONS

Texas Official Designates the Many Things It Might Be Used For.

Austin, Tex.—Raw material for millions of dollars worth of varied finished products has been annually sent to waste from the cotton fields of the United States, says Wilhelm Wehe, cotton expert in the Agriculture Department of Texas. This is the cotton stalk, which generally has been made fuel for flames, but sometimes is converted into fertilizer by being plowed under.

In this State alone, according to Wehe, this annual waste amounts to from 12,000,000 to 18,000,000 tons of stalks. Here are some of the things which can be made from this raw material, Wehe says:

Paper, stalk or pulp—To be manufactured into any grade of paper, crude or fancy.

Fiber—spinnable in any color for manufacturing matting, ropes and bagging. (A possibility to wrap our Texas cotton with a Texas product taken from our native cotton plant.)

Fertilizers—To be brought back into the field.

Wood Powder—To be used in the manufacture of high explosives. Besides these, several by-products are produced, such as acetone, from 10 to 20 gallons per ton of stalks, which is used in the manufacture of celluloid, etc.; amyl, amyl acetate, wood alcohol, ergot, gums and coloring matter.

The Pulp—Turned into pure cellulose is the base of many products, such as celluloid goods, artificial silk, artificial hair, artificial leather, artificial horn, smokeless powder and other valuable articles.

The paper pulp, as mentioned before produces a splendid writing tissue, pergament, wrapping paper and papers of other grades. It can also be manufactured into paper board, fibre board and the so-called beaver board.

U. S. MEN SEIZE HAYWOOD AND 35 I. W. W. LEADERS

Government Agents Make Arrests at Chicago—150 Are Named in Indictments.

CHIEFS ADVOCATED SABOTAGE

"Seditious Conspiracy" Charge Made as Result of Searching Probe by United States—Men in Many Cities Involved.

Chicago, Sept. 29.—Government agents raided the headquarters of the Industrial Workers of the World at 1001 West Madison street and arrested William D. Haywood and 35 other leaders.

All the men were taken to the federal building.

The arrests followed the return of indictments by the federal grand jury before Judge Evan Evans, in which about 168 persons were named.

Leaders Trapped in Raid. Among the leaders of the I. W. W. arrested in the raid were:

William D. Haywood, general secretary and treasurer.

Richard Brazier, Chicago, "Spokane and elsewhere," member of general executive board.

George Andreychyn, Chicago, "Duluth and elsewhere," manager publicity bureau, Chicago.

Ralph H. Chaplin, editor and manager Solidarity.

Vladimir Lossieff, Chicago.

Bert Lorton, Chicago manager Recruiting Union.

Charles Rothfisher, editor A Bergunkas, Chicago and Cleveland.

Charles Plahn, Chicago and Detroit.

Herbert Mahler, Seattle and Chicago.

The names of those indicted were suppressed pending the arrest of the men named, but as the evidence presented to the grand jury had revealed a far-reaching plot to obstruct the government in its prosecution of the war, it is known that those caught in the net embraced leaders in unpatriotic activities in probably fifty cities and towns.

Sabotage Is Charged.

"The astonishing feature which stands out at the conclusion of the investigation and which is well calculated to make patriotic persons shudder with alarm is found in the disclosure of the number of men enjoying the protection of the government who are so far unmindful of social duties and obligations as to openly advocate the most vicious forms of sabotage, particularly in industries engaged in furnishing war munitions," says the report of the grand jury.

As to Their Activities.

"The activities of these defendants have been directed against what they conceive or pretend to conceive to be the misguided attitude of the world at large toward persons not possessed of property, the result being that this time of general stress and strain has been seized upon because, as they insist, the opportunity was here and now presented to make effective these secret and covert processes of destruction which they traitorously employed while pretending to work."

Their Propaganda in Brief.

"Toiled down and stated in a few words, the propaganda of these defendants consists of these assertions: 'We are going to take possession of the industries of this country. 1. Because we want them. 2. Because we need them. 3. Because we are in this crisis possessed of the power to put it over.' 'In addition, there is running through all these endeavors a pronounced opposition to the support of the war in which this country is enlisted.'"

TRAIN KILLS THREE IN AUTO

Residents of Clifton, Ia., Hurled to Death on Grade Crossing.

Stanwood, Ia., Sept. 29.—Three persons were instantly killed when a Chicago & Northwestern train hit an automobile at a grade crossing here. The dead are: Scott Hamilton, aged sixty-three, Stanwood; Miss Florence Gibson, aged thirty-five, and Miss Grace Reed, aged twenty-three, of near Clifton. The train stopped at the rear of the Hamilton home and the porter ran to the rear door and asked Mrs. Hamilton for some sheets, saying that a terrible accident had happened. A few minutes later Mrs. Hamilton found her husband and the two young women, her relatives, dead.

WAR TAX BILL IS DELAYED

Debate on Measure Will Start in House on Monday.

Washington, Sept. 29.—Plans were completed for presentation to congress of the war tax bill as revised upward by the senate and house conferees to levy about \$2,700,000 more taxes, making a total of \$5,033,000,000, the largest financial measure in the country's history. Unexpected delays in perfecting the final draft upset the conferees' program of completing the bill and announcing their revision after two weeks. The delay probably will postpone the beginning of the house debate on the report until Monday, but the bill's enactment into law during the next week is deemed certain.

Healo will add great comfort to anyone suffering from aching, tired feet during the hot summer months. It is for sale by all druggists.

COCKEREL OUTPOINTS TIGER BY DODGING

Animal Loose in Baggage Car Unable to Land Paw on Crowing Fowl.

Calcutta.—Great excitement was caused at the local railroad terminus a few days ago, when, on the arrival of the Madras mail train, it became known that a full-grown Bengal tiger had broken loose from its cage in the baggage car at the end of the train.

The tiger—a magnificent specimen—was part of a consignment sent by the Maharajah of Mysore as a gift to the Calcutta Zoo, the other animals being two llamas and six kangaroos, a cockerel and two hens, the tiger having a cage to himself.

A coolie entered the compartment adjoining the cages on the train's arrival at Calcutta, and saw that the tiger had broken out of its cage and entered the cage in which the llamas and poultry were confined. The coolie ran to obtain assistance, and soon a large crowd gathered at a respectful distance on a railway bridge.

Zoo and railway officials who answered witnessed a remarkable spectacle. It was found that the tiger had already killed a llama and the two hens, but had failed to vanquish the cockerel, which was still walking about freely, having successfully kept its opponent at bay by means of a sort of "fowl jiu jitsu."

The tiger, again and again, tried its utmost to land its paw on the cockerel but the latter cleverly evaded all blows aimed at it, crowing triumphantly after the end of each round.

The car was finally detached from the train and removed to the freight shed by the railway authorities, and after several hours some of the iron bars of the car were cut away and a new cage placed against the opening.

It was not until a bucket of water had been placed in the new cage, however, that the now thirsty tiger was induced to get into it. A porter eyewitness of the astonishing fight between the tiger and the cockerel stated that "if everyone was afraid of the tiger, the tiger was afraid of the cock."

The cockerel, after the removal of the tiger, coolly hopped out of the luggage van without so much as a scratch.

COSTS \$1 A POUND NOW TO BEAT WIFE IN PUEBLO

First Man Fined Under New Court Ruling Says He's Glad He Didn't Wed Fat Woman.

Pueblo, Colo.—[The cost of wife beating in Pueblo is increasing. Magistrate H. A. Crossman, in the Pueblo Court a few days ago, served notice to all benedicts who indulge in that indoor sport that they will be required to pay into the municipal coffers a big round dollar for every pound their wife may weight.

James Arris was the first victim. He told Magistrate Crossman he had beaten his wife because she had disobeyed him.

"How much do you weigh, Mrs. Arris?" asked the magistrate of the frail little woman who had testified against her husband.

"An even hundred pounds," Mrs. Arris replied.

Magistrate Crossman turned to Arris and said:

"You're a nice specimen to be the head of a family. You will pay the costs and \$100. That's a dollar a pound, and it may cost you more next time."

"I'm glad I didn't marry a circus fat woman," muttered Arris, as the full significance of the sentence reached him.

F. Reincking of Route 4 was in town Thursday.

COMPANY M BEST DRILLED AT CAMP

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not allowed in camp without many restrictions, but it is expected that before long this will be stopped, as too many callers interfere with the work. There is plenty of that: Drill from 7:30 to 11:30 a. m. and from 1:15 to 4:30 p. m. Included in the day's work is a solid hour of calisthenics to develop lungs and arm and trunk muscles. To see a whole regiment in its setting up exercises is a beautiful sight. The officer conducting the exercises is mounted on a platform and the lines of men radiate out from his

platform as a center. At his command the men with snaf and unigo go thru a large and strenuous assortment of bending, breathing and flexing exercises. When hands are raised over heads, the forest of extended palms lowers the hats again push their way to the top. After a resting period at the command of attention the click of the heels thrills one ilkes an electric shock. All this exercising, the drill and the outdoor life combined with the good wholesome food and ten,

Careful medical service has made a noticeable improvement in the men, and bids fair to have them as hard as nails and fit for anything before winter is over.

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News of the Churches

ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN
Rev. F. D. Altman, D. D., Pastor.
Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.
Supt. W. E. White.

Morning Worship, 10:45 a. m.
Baptism of children.
Reception of new members.
Benevolence Offering and Sacrament of the Lord's Supper.
Communion Address by Pastor.
Evening Service, 7:30.
Midweek Service, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.
Subject, "Songs of Deliverance".
As this will be the last Sunday of the Church and Synodical year it is important that the membership be well represented to hear any special announcements that may be made. A cordial welcome to all.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST
316 W. First Street
Services, Sunday, 11 a. m.
Church.
Topic, "Reality".
Subject, "Matter".
Sunday School, 10 a. m.
Wednesday, 8 p. m.

Reading room open daily from 2 to 4 p. m., except on Sunday and legal holidays.

ST. LUKE'S EPISCOPAL
Rev. H. M. Babin, Rector.
Holy Communion, 8:00 a. m.
Sunday School service, 9:30 a. m.
Morning Service and Sermon by the Rector, 10:45.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Rev. W. W. Moore, Pastor.
Bible School, 9:45 a. m.
Mr. C. B. Rhodes, Superintendent.

Subject, "The Mission of Jesus Christ".
Evening Worship, 7:30 p. m.
All services held in the church building at 417 West First street to which the public is invited.

WEST SIDE CONG. CHURCH
Rev. John Dornhoefer, Pastor.
Sunday School, 9:45.
Morning worship, 11:00.
Theme, "The First Christian Slacker".
Evening Service, 7:30.

Subject, "The Power behind the War."
Wednesday evening, Prayer Service, 7:30.
Topic, "Does God Answer Prayer?"

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. George W. Stoddard, Pastor.
Sunday School, 9:45.
Preaching services, 10:45. Subject of sermon, "Christ, The Chief Cornerstone, Rejected."
E. Y. P. E., 6:30.

Missionary Work; Miss Mildred Page, leader.
Preaching services, 7:30; Subject of sermon, "Our Work in the Lord's Vineyard".

The Annual Business meeting of the church will be held on Wednesday evening, October 3. All the members of the church are earnestly requested to be present when the various reports of the year's work are presented and take part in the election of officers for the ensuing year. Delegates will also be elected to represent the church at the State Convention which will convene at Moline on October 15.

SPECIAL CARE NEEDED TO GROW CAULIFLOWER

Water, Thorough Tillage and Fertilizer Essential for Best Crop

Abundant water, thorough tillage, fertilizers and freedom from insects insure success with cauliflower under intensive cultivation. The late crop is most successful, according to gardeners at the Ohio Experiment Station, since hot weather prevents proper head development.

In the bed the plants are usually set two feet apart each way. A line of three or four inch drainage is laid about three inches deep between the rows lengthwise of the bed. To obtain uniform watering the tile should be laid level. On hillsides the tile must not be laid up and down the slope, but with it and always on a level, these horticulturists advise. One end of the tile is stopped with clay or mortar and the other end elevated so as to permit entrance of the hose conveying water, in dry times the bed is watered once a week through these tiles. Too much water injures the plants.

Frequent stirring of the soil saves moisture. This can be done with a common garden rake, a hoe also being used at times to stir the soil to a great depth. Raking after each rain prevents a crust from forming and holds water.

The Experiment Station specialists advise the application of a pound of nitrate of soda to each square rod at planting time and the same amount within a month later. Well-rotted manure and three pounds of acid phosphate per square rod are recommended to be worked into the soil before the plants are set.

When the cauliflower begins to form heads, the leaves are gathered over the tops of the plants and tied so as to shade the heads and thus keep them from turning brown.

Cabbage worms work on cauliflower. They can be controlled by spraying the plants with a solution made of an ounce of pyrethrum to 2 gallons of water or by dusting them with the pyrethrum powder mixed with ten times as much flour.

Early Snowball and Early Erfurt are given as dependable varieties.

COOP THE MOTHER HEN.

Loss of Chicks by Exposure Largely Prevented by Confining Hen.

It is not good poultry management to allow the mother hen to range unrestricted with her chicks. With such freedom the hen frequently takes her brood through wet grass and, as a result, some are chilled and die, especially the weaker ones which are likely to be left behind. The loss of young chicks which follows such a practice is largely and mainly preventable, specialists in the U. S. department of Agriculture say. Furthermore, the food which a brood allowed to range with the hen obtains goes very largely to keep up the heat of the body and the chicks do not make as good growth as they otherwise would.

Chick losses of this nature can be largely prevented by shutting the hen in a coop. Any style of coop which is dry, ventilated, and can be closed at night to protect the brood against cats, rats, and other animals, and which, while confining the hen, will allow the chicks to pass in and out freely after they are a few days old, will be satisfactory. The hen should be confined until the chicks are weaned, though a small yard may be attached to the coop, if desired, to allow the chicks to go in or out, but not high enough for the hen to escape. By using a coop the chicks can find shelter and warmth under the hen at any time and the weaklings, after a few days, may develop into strong healthy chicks.

Where chicks are raised with hens, they are likely to become infested with lice. If the lice get very numerous, they greatly retard the chicks' growth and may even cause their death. The hen should be powdered thoroughly with some good insect powder before she is put in the coop with the chicks, and at intervals of several days or a week thereafter.

The baby chicks should be examined for lice, particularly on the head, under the wings and about the vent. If any are found, a little grease, such as lard, should be rubbed on in those places. Apply grease moderately, as too much will injure the chicks. The chicks should be examined frequently and the treatment repeated if lice are found on them.

NATIONAL PARK PLAN IS REVIVED

IT IS BELIEVED THAT BURNING OF THE OLD HOTEL HAS REMOVED THE OBJECTIONS

NO HOSTELRY THERE AT PRESENT

Prized Records of 100 Years Lost in Fire—Railroad Ready to Turn Over Land.

Louisville, Ky.—The passing of the century-old hotel at Mammoth Cave is believed to open the way for the realization of the dream, long cherished by the people of Kentucky, to have the Federal Government take over the property and convert it into a national park.

A movement to this end was started by Representative R. Y. Thomas of that district, but, owing to obstacles placed in the way by Judge Albert S. Janin, one of the three heirs owning the property, who conducted the hotel, the proposal was dropped. The destruction of the hotel leaves the place without suitable accommodations for visitors, as the only building standing is a modern four-room bungalow, and the assumption is that the heirs will not consider the reconstruction of the hotel. Guests are being accommodated in the bungalow and the neighboring cottages.

The hotel and cave registers, which were highly prized, were lost. One of these registers was more than 100 years old. Among the names of notables contained in some of the registers were those of King Edward of England, Jenny Lind, Edwin Booth, the Grand Duke Alexis of Russia and Dom Pedro of Brazil.

The hotel was built to accommodate men who were working in the salt-peter mines in the cave. These mines were opened in 1811 and salt-peter derived from them was the main source of this material for the powder mills which supplied the powder for the war of 1812. The mines were discontinued about 1820, but the wooden conduits used in supplying water to them are still in place in some parts of the cave, and are also the water used in the process of preparing the salt-peter.

Mammoth Cave is about 40 miles of the main part of the Louisville &

Nashville Railroad and is reached by means of a private-owned railroad, and the very isolation of the place has shielded it from changes. A visit there was like stepping back into the days before the war.

For one standing before the old hotel and looking at the "ox-mobility" used to carry visitors, it required little effort of the imagination to call up the scenes of the grandfathers. Many held a sentimental attachment for the place because of the memories associated with visits to the cave. For many of the older residents of the State Mammoth Cave was the scene of their "bridal trip," as it was a favorite place for spending a honeymoon when travel was more difficult than it is today.

Adjacent to Mammoth Cave and adjoining it at certain underground points is Colossal Cavern, owned and conducted by Louisville & Nashville Railroad Co., which also owns about 15,000 acres of land rights about the cavern. In many respects Colossal Cavern is more wonderful than Mammoth Cave. It was discovered in 1893 and during the past few years there has been opened an entrance to Mammoth Cave. It has not been fully explored. The Louisville & Nashville Co. is ready to turn its holdings over to the Government and to construct a fine hotel and institute other accommodations, if ownership of Mammoth Cave is transferred.

EAT GRASS, ADVISES EPHRAIM

"Nicomachus Done It," He Says, and Waxed Fat.

St. Albans, Vt.—Ephraim Sodus of Piney Ridge, near here does not intend to let the high cost of living bother him. Let them keep their "aigs" in cold storage, he says, and their chickens, too, for he has discovered a way to give them the merry ha, ha, and a few chuckles added, if they go too far.

"Grass, by gum!" is Ephraim's joyous ejaculation. "Nicomachus of Bible fame et grass," he says, "and he thrived on it, berjinks! And that is precisely what I'm goin' to do."

89 Telephone Girl Brides.

Palestine, Tex.—President J. W. Ozment of the local telephone company, is becoming confused over whether he is operating a "hello" business or a matrimonial bureau. On Christmas day three of the company's operatives became brides, making a total to date of 89. In addition, six chief operators have resigned to get married.

But Ozment is not angry about the wholesale raids upon his staff of operators. He has announced to men in search of brides that there are 16 good ones still on the company's salary list.

Planting for Timber in Ireland.

Dublin.—To provide against a dearth of timber in Ireland, due to cutting for war requirements, land lords and farmers are replanting on a large scale.

George Harns of Palmyra was

here Thursday.

GARMENTS OF PAPER FORESEEN

Clothes Maker Says Substitute for Wool Is Necessary.

Pasadena, Cal.—Hereafter we all may have to be more careful about carrying matches, for paper clothing is as sure to come as taxes, according to James Kuppenheimer, the Chicago clothing manufacturer, here on a vacation. He states that the search manufacturers are making for a substitute for rapidly soaring wool is leading them to paper.

Halt Sermon, Want to Wed.

Columbus, Ind.—While the Rev. William Hobson, pastor of the Jackson Street Christian Church, was preaching, Shepherd Scofield, a son of John Scofield, and Miss Bertha Brown, daughter of Henry Brown of this city, walked up to the pulpit and asked that he quit preaching and marry them.

The minister declined to do so but

informed the couple that he would perform the marriage ceremony when he had finished his sermon. Fifteen minutes later the couple again asked that the sermon be stopped and the ceremony performed, but again the minister refused and held to his text until he finished. Then he married the couple.

COAL BOOST UP TO WILSON

Garfield Hears Pleas of Operators for Higher Prices.

Washington, Sept. 29.—After hearing demands of coal operators that the government prices for coal be revised upward to permit an advance in pay to miners, Dr. H. A. Garfield, the fuel administrator, laid the question before President Wilson.

Bill for Moratorium Referred.

Washington, Sept. 29.—The civil rights bill to create a moratorium for soldiers and sailors was reintroduced in the house in revised form for early action.



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PICKLES By EVERETT McNEIL

FORT STEWART blazed in the hot July sun. Somewhere out on the drill grounds the "awkward squad" was wheeling, saluting, grounding arms, or trotting at "double quick," a weary but undisciplined batch of new candidates for glory. Away down by the last barracks the air quivered, not only with the heat but under the fierce fusillade of a cornet laboriously attempting strange versions of the time-honored "reveille" and "taps."

Sergeant Watkins was showing a party of citizens around the post. Strangers naturally picked him out for guide, if they were lucky enough to run across him when he was off duty. The commanding officer at the post knew, when Watkins got through with a civilian, that there wouldn't be much left for him to learn about army affairs, for the Sergeant was thorough and he felt sorry for every one who was not privileged to wear Uncle Sam's uniform.

"Pay day would interest me," one of the visitors said. "I'd be looking for it to come round oftener than once a month." Watkins stiffened. He gave the man an appraising glance as if he were taking his measure.

"What sent you into the service?" the man went on. He had not caught the Sergeant's look.

"What sent me?" Watkins words came like a rifle shot. "Man alive, would I be here and wearing the honor stripes, if I had had that kind of a soul?"

The citizen murmured something that sounded like an apology. "Come over to the post reading room and let me tell you a story," the Sergeant said. He was quick to flame up, was Watkins, but as quick to cool. The little group lined up, led by the tall, soldierly man in khaki. Somehow, each civilian seemed to get new life into his step as he kept pace with the Sergeant. It was like marching to music. Then the strains of a well known national song floated out from the back barracks quarters. And the civilians instinctively uncovered, for the song was "The Star Spangled Banner."

"There is no better school of patriotism than the United States Army," said

Sergeant Watkins, as he slowly took the battered but still serviceable old meerschaum from between his lips and laid it gently on the table.

He had brought in his party to the snug reading-room and his listeners disposed themselves in a half circle around him.

"No better school of patriotism any where," he repeated, his gray eyes kindling as they turned from the faces of his companions to the flag he loved, floating so bravely above the post drill-grounds; "and many is the time I've seen a young reprobate—forsaken by kin and friends who turned to the army as a last desperate resort—transformed in the course of a few months' service into a self-respecting, law-abiding, country-loving soldier, a man who would gladly shed the last drop of blood in his body in defense of the flag that he has learned to love or to protect the honor or the lives of his comrades."

"There is something in the common devotion of all the officers and the enlisted men to the flag—in the sympathy and the support, the good comradeship of the men for one another, that inspires the same spirit in the heart of the recruit, if he has any true manhood left, no matter how sullenly and indifferently he may have felt toward his country and his fellow men at the time of his enlistment. Now, let me prove what I have said by an illustration. I want you fellows to know the kind of men the army makes out of its recruits, when there is any material to work on. Of course, you can't make a cannon out of a chunk of lead; and there has to be some iron in a man to make a good soldier out of him for Uncle Sam," and he smiled grimly.

"Tom Dickson is the man I have in mind," Sergeant Watkins resumed, after a moment's inspirational contemplation of the quiescent pipe on the table. "At least that is the name he enlisted under; but his first day at the post won him the name of Pickles, because in the surineness of his looks and disposition he made us all think of a big sour pickle that had been left in the brine too long; and, thereafter, he was Pickles to all except the first sergeant at drill, in spite of the fact that he knocked down the first man to call him by that name, and spent a week in the guard-house in consequence, for the good of his evil temper and the preservation of soldierly discipline," as Corporal Foley informed him, when he placed him under arrest.

"Pickles came from the east. He had all the physical qualifications that go to the making of a good soldier; but there his soldierly qualifications apparently ended—for a more evil



"He saved the life of his captain, but he gave his own in doing it."

tempered, ugly-dispositioned recruit never entered the army, at least not in my experience, and this is my twenty-fifth year of continuous service," and the fine eyes of Sergeant Watkins kindled proudly. "His face always bore a sullen scowl; and his eyes! Well, there was a defiant, evil look in them that made most of the men, hardened as they were, shun his company. However, this troubled Pickles none; for he appeared to prefer his own society, poor as it was, to that of any man in the regiment. He spent the greater part of the first six months of his enlistment in the guardroom. Then he appeared to realize that there was no use in bucking against the discipline of the United States Army; and, so far as army regulations were concerned, he became a model soldier. But if the sourness of his disposition sweetened or the scowl on his face lessened, none of us noticed it.

About this time our company was transferred to a post where, just outside the barracks, a number of drinking places were running in full blast. One day Pickles was passing one of the worst of these. He was carrying the flag which he had been ordered to transfer to another part of the post. A half-drunken rowdy who bore a

grudge against him ran out and caught him by the elbow.

"The discipline of the guard-house had taught the enlisted man self control, and he paid no heed to the fellow. But suddenly the man—before Pickles could defend himself—tore the flag from him and flung it contemptuously in the soldier's face."

"And so this is the dirty old rag you fight for, is it?" he taunted. "See, this is what I think of it, and he rushed back through the door of the saloon and started to wipe off the wet bar with the stars and stripes."

"God, man! As if hurled from a catapult, Pickles leaped at him and felled him with one blow of his fist. Then he jerked the flag from the rowdy's hands and began smoothing out its folds."

"For an instant the rest of the gang stood still, stunned by the shock of this sudden and unexpected move. Then, with curses and ugly threats, they jumped to the rescue of their leader and started to do up Pickles."

"Men!—there was something in Pickles' face and his tone that stopped each tipsy brawler—'Men, wait a minute! I'll fight all of you in turn or together, but I must first put this flag out of the way of harm. I have sworn

to protect it and I will not see it dragged into a bar-room scuffle. After I have placed the flag where it won't get hurt, you can do with me what you please, if you are able,' and, very carefully straightening out the crumpled banner, he restored it to its standard, touched the bright stars and gleaming stripes gently—almost tenderly—and then turned to the men, all the sullenness gone from his face but his eyes holding their dull, smoldering fire."

"Now, I am ready," he said quietly, 'ready to do my best to lick every cowardly wretch who has so little manhood in him that he can stand by and see his country's flag insulted. Come on, one at a time, or all together, you dirty cowards!'

"Pickles' eyes were flashing now, and the bulging muscles on his big arms were taut. Right then and there he was ready to sacrifice his life, if need be, in defense of the flag he served."

"Well, you would hardly expect it from men of their stamp, but Pickles' line of setoff seemed to take all the stiffening out of their back bones; and it wasn't because they were afraid of him either. But the way he had jumped to the rescue of his flag—their flag

—in the face of overwhelming odds, and the reverent manner with which he had restored it to its place, won their admiration, waked the remnant of manhood in them, and left each one ashamed of the part he had played."

"Ah, leave him alone," growled one. "He ain't no bluffer."

"And the leader, the one Pickles had knocked down, now jumped to his feet, and gripping Pickles by the hand, vowed that he'd lick the first man who made a move to touch him or the flag. The blow seemed to have knocked a little sense and patriotism into his head. Queer how hard some heads are!"

"Well, of course, that ended the affair—with Pickles the hero of the occasion. Now, I call that the right kind of patriotism; and it is the kind that Uncle Sam breeds in his soldiers," and Sergeant Watkins reached out and picked up his pipe from the table, as if his story was ended. For an instant

no one spoke. Before the minds of all who had followed the tall Sergeant breathlessly as he drew his stirring word picture, there rose the image of the guardhouse prisoner, the ugly tempered recruit, the man whom even his comrades had shunned, and this new creature, lifted to the full stature of a man by a patriotic impulse.

"What became of him?" It was one of the citizens who spoke. "Surely Pickles must have had plenty of other chances to show the metal that was in him?"

"Yes," slowly the Sergeant laid down his pipe again and his voice dropped. "Pickles became Sergeant Dickson and lost his life in the Philippines. He saved the life of his captain, but he gave his own in doing it." Reverently the hand of the old Sergeant went to his head, in a salute to the honored dead.

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Highwayman Hardluck

By Warwick James Price

"HIGHWAYMAN Hardluck rides this road,"

The gossips by the fireside said;

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His more than tithe of every load.

His share of every stick and shred."

THEY told how Dick had fought and failed,

How Sam surrendered stock and gear,

And how when Tim

Encountered him

Once more the bandit had prevailed—

And gray heads wagged slow in fear.

THEN as the little group broke up,

Wisecracks seeking hearth and wife,

One, who had heard

Each gloomy word

A smiling, without stirrup cup

Fared forth to battle for his life.

HE met the bully face to face.

Laughed when he gave his doleful name,

Stuck straight and hard

Beneath his guard,

Not giving back a single pace,

And won—and so climbed up to fame.

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5c a Word Two Weeks 12 Times
9c a Word a Month 26 Times

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WANTED. Well furnished large room modern, within easy walking distance of business district, by young married couple. Address B, this office. 230 4

WANTED. Competent nurse maid for infant. Write Mrs. E. M. Johnson, 865 Pomeroy St., Kenosha, Wis. 228 6w1

WANTED. Men and girls, steady employment, good wages. Borden's Condensed Milk Co. 223 10

WANTED. Automobile Dealer. This territory now open on one of the oldest makes and most widely known automobiles in the United States. For interview state full particulars. Address "Manufacturer," Care this office. 226 6

WANTED. Male Help. Plumbing, bricklaying, electricity and drafting taught by practical instruction. Big demand. Positions secured. Earn \$6.00 daily up. Write for free illustrated book. Coyne Trade and Engineering Schools, 43 E. Illinois, Chicago. 227 6

WANTED. Men, ladies and boys to learn barbering. Big shortage of barbers. Big paying trade. Quickly learned. Position guaranteed. Write for catalog. Tri-City Barber College, Davenport, Ia. 226tf

WANTED. Highest market price paid for all kinds of junk, old iron, rags, rubber, metal, also hides and wool. Trading direct with us means more money for your goods. Call 413 for your orders. S. Rubenstein, 114-118 River St., Dixon. 51tf

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WANTED. Washings to do. Mrs. Freda Nearing, 1411 W. Third St. 51tf

WANTED. Everyone troubled with itching, tired feet to try a box of Healo. For sale by all druggists.

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—If you want the Telegraph, give your order to W. J. Smith, country solicitor for the Telegraph.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE. Hard coal base burner, cheap. Phone 921. F. H. Robinson, 114 Third St. 230 2

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE. We have some Dixon income property which we will trade for farm in Lee Co. If interested see Dixon Realty Co. 230 2

FOR SALE. 200 acre farm close to Dixon. Will leave stock and machinery on farm is desired, and give good terms. Dixon Realty Co. 230 2

FOR SALE. Registered Poland China boar hogs. Good mammals. Price right. A. H. Schmidt or C. R. Leake. 228tf

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FOR SALE. White paper suitable for the picnic supper table. 1c a sheet at this office. 1f

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FOR SALE. A double house of eight rooms on each side, in good condition; modern bath, furnace, city and steam water, gas and electricity. For further particulars call Phone 783. 51tf

FOR SALE. Unusual bargains in land in Minnesota and North Dakota. For particulars write Wadsworth Co. 25 Temple Court, Minneapolis, Minn., or Langdon, S. Dakota.

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FOR SALE. Several high grade Holstein heifers, due to freshen this winter. Phone L2. H. J. Hughes. 230 2

FOR SALE. 6-foot dining table, good as new; iron bed and springs. Telephone X672. 229 4

FOR SALE. A desirable building lot; price reasonable. Mrs. George H. Squires, 619 N. 2nd St. Phone 788. 51tf

FOR SALE. Lot No. 1, Bk. 20, Gilson's Add. to Amboy. For further particulars enquire of Mrs. Eustace Shaw, Phone 992 or No. 5, Dixon, Ill. 109tf

—FOR SALE. Land in northeast of Minnesota, where independence may be had on a few acres by men of moderate means; may even be hewn out of the timber by men whose only asset is their brawn. Wadsworth Co., 525 Temple Court, Minneapolis, Minn. 55tf

FOR SALE. The Saturday Evening Post. Call Home Phone K211. Charles LeSage. 51tf

FOR RENT

FOR RENT. Tenant house on my farm. G. A. Harms, Route 7. 230 4

FOR RENT OR SALE. 880 acres 2 1/2 miles from town in South Dakota. Will exchange for Dixon property. For particulars see Dixon Realty Co. 230 2

FOR RENT. Rooming house all furnished. Rent reasonable. Dixon Realty Co. 230 2

FOR RENT. 7 room modern flat with heat furnished at \$30 per month. Dixon Realty Co. 230 2

FOR RENT. East half double house, corner 4th & Monroe. 7 rooms, gas for cooking; handy to business. Rent, including city water, \$19. Geo. C. Loveland. 229 4

FOR RENT. 10 acres land north milk factory. M. W. Rowe, Sterling Garage, Sterling, Ill. 229 3

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PUBLIC AUCTION.

Thursday, Oct. 4, 1917, at 2 p. m. Two residences located on Rock Island Road, just outside city limits, known and described as follows: 1 6-room house in good condition, good well, small barn and chicken house; also a number of nice fruit trees such as pears, apples and cherries. The tract of land belonging to this house is 115 ft. frontage on Rock Island Road and 273 ft. deep, making in all about 5 lots.

1 5-room house, good well, chicken house and fruit trees, good garden. This house is a cement block house and practically new. This lot is 50 by 136 ft. size.

Terms of Sale: Cash or part time. The reason of this sale being made is that the owners intend to move to Michigan; therefore they want to dispose of these properties on the above mentioned date.

Philip Boos and Lee Boos, Owners. GEORGE FRUIN, Auctioneer. 229 6

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR PROBATE OF WILL.

State of Illinois, Lee County, ss. To the unknown heirs and legatees and devisees of Caroline Gable, now deceased, John Marondi, William Marondi, August Marondi, Reinhouse Marondi, Minnie Kerston, Fredericka Jones, Jeanie Ireland, Ida Riddisbarger, Frank H. Marondi, Bertha Ireland, Gustav C. Bratton and Emma Baker, heirs at law and legatees, so far as known, of Fredericka Pogle, deceased, late of Lee County, Illinois.

You are hereby notified that application has been made to the County Court of said County for the probate of the will of Fredericka Pogle, deceased, and that the hearing of the proof of said will has been set by said Court for the 5th day of November, A. D. 1917, at the hour of 11 o'clock in the forenoon, at the Court House in Dixon, in said County, when and where you can appear, if you see fit, and show cause, if any you have, why said will should not be admitted to probate.

FRED G. DIMICK, County Clerk.

Dixon, Ill., September 28, 1917. 29 6 13

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Minnie M. Mall, Deceased. The undersigned, having been appointed Administrator of the Estate of Minnie M. Mall, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the County Court of Lee County, at the Court House in Dixon, at the January Term, on the first Monday in January, next, at which time all persons having claims against said Estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said Estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 21st day of September, A. D. 1917.

JOSEPH MALL, Administrator. E. E. WINGERT, Attorney. 22 29 6

PLAN TO CURB MILK PRICES

Officials of U. S. and Three States to Stop Price-Fixing.

Chicago, Sept. 29.—Preparations for a concerted drive on the "combine" of milk producers throughout Illinois and the states adjoining were made by representatives of the attorney general, the state's attorney, similar officers of the neighboring states, and federal officials. Evidence collected in the state's attorney's raid on the offices of the Milk Producers' association revealed a combination, it is asserted, covering not only Cook county and neighboring counties, but adjoining states as well.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE OF FILING FINAL SETTLEMENT.

State of Illinois, Lee County, ss. Estate of Peter Eisenberg, Deceased. Public notice is hereby given that the undersigned, executor of the estate of Peter Eisenberg, deceased, will attend before the County Court of Lee County, at the Court House in Dixon, on October 8, 1917, next, for the purpose of making a final settlement of said estate, at which time and place I will ask for an order of distribution, and will also ask to be discharged. All persons interested are notified to attend.

Dixon, Ill., Sept. 19, A. D. 1917. JOHN G. EISENBERG, Executor. E. E. WINGERT, Attorney. 22 29

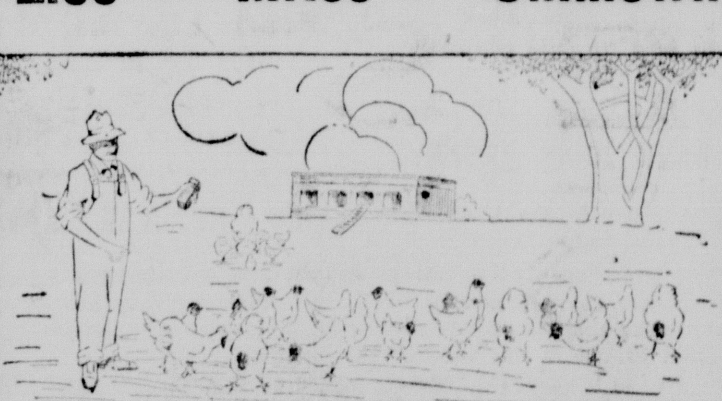
Young Officer for Important Position



Maj. C. S. Ridley, who has been appointed by the president as engineer officer in charge of public buildings and grounds in Washington, and military aid to the president, Major Ridley is the youngest officer ever chosen to serve in this capacity, being only thirty-four years old and but 12 years out of West Point. He will be responsible for the expenditure of millions of dollars in public buildings and park improvements. He succeeds Col. W. W. Harts, who will command a regiment in France.

Too Long a Wait. "So you're a bill collector, eh?" "Yes, sir." "Do you believe in a hereafter?" "I certainly do, but I'm not going to wait until then to collect this bill."—Detroit Free Press.

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You need not suffer bunion torture an hour longer. No matter how large or painful your bunions may be—no matter how often or by whom treated and pronounced "incurable"—here at least is convincing proof that there is positive relief for you—right now—today.

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Get a Box of "Bunion Comfort" Today. Most druggists have it or we will send you a box free. ROWLAND BROS., DRUGGISTS, 123 GALENA AVE.

Chairman of National Aeronautics Committee



Dr. William F. Durand, noted mechanical engineer, is chairman of the national advisory committee for aeronautics. For several years he has been professor of mechanical engineering at Leland Stanford University in California and before that time was a member of other university faculties. He is a specialist in marine engineering, and has written a number of books on the subject.

27 KILLED IN WRECK

Passenger Collides With Troop Train in Oklahoma.

Special Bearing Thirty-Five of the More Seriously Injured Reaches Tulsa.

Kellyville, Okla., Sept. 29.—Bodies of 17 negroes and seven white men and three Indians have been taken from the wreckage of St. Louis & San Francisco train No. 7, which collided head-on with an empty troop train one mile southwest of here. It is believed that several more bodies still are in the debris. Three of the negroes were women.

The engine crews of both trains escaped injury. The fireman on the troop train is said to have gone insane after the wreck.

The identified dead are: John Crowmover, Shamrock, Okla. F. M. Hutchinson, Tulsa, Okla. H. P. Whiteleaf, negro, Sapulpa, Okla.

Tulsa, Okla., Sept. 29.—A special train bearing 35 of the more seriously injured in the Kellyville wreck reached here. All ambulances and 12 touring cars were sent from Tulsa to the wreck this afternoon, but have not returned.

An Unfortunate Moment. "Dobbins is too fastidious for any reasonable use. I heard he was to be married."

"He was, but it's all off. Lovely girl too. Dobbins would certainly have married her if he hadn't seen her when she looked her very worst."

"What was she doing?" "Eating corn off the cob."—Philadelphia Ledger.

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Date

TIME TABLES CLOSE

The following table shows the time of the closing of all mails forwarded from Dixon postoffice. Mail should be in the postoffice ten minutes preceding the locking of the pouch to insure its dispatch:

Train	Time
No. 23	6:55 a.m.
No. 4	3:55 p.m.
No. 12	5:40 p.m.
No. 20	10:40 a.m.

West Mail.	Time
No. 5	9:55 a.m.
No. 13	12:55 p.m.
No. 17	7:00 p.m.
No. 9	8:25 p.m.
No. 16	1:55 a.m.

South Mail.	Time
No. 119	6:55 a.m.
No. 122	10:40 a.m.
No. 121	4:50 p.m.

North Mail.	Time
No. 122	9:10 a.m.
No. 120	8:25 p.m.
No. 124	4:50 p.m.

Look at the little yellow tag on our Telegraph. The date thereon is the date to which your Telegraph is paid.

TIME TABLE

CHICAGO & NORTHWESTERN RY.

Correct time of all passenger trains leaving Dixon. *Daily except where otherwise specified:

East Bound to Chicago.	Ar. Chicago
No. 14, Dixon	9:15 a.m.
24 6:41 a.m.	6:45 a.m.
6 3:28 a.m.	4:45 a.m.
28 7:21 a.m. dly ex Sun	10:30 a.m.
18 8:05 a.m.	11:00 a.m.
10 11:21 a.m.	2:00 p.m.
10 11:01 a.m. dly ex Sun	2:25 p.m.
4 4:21 p.m. dly ex Sun	7:25 p.m.
100 4:15 p.m. Sun only	7:25 p.m.
12 6:10 p.m.	8:45 p.m.

West Bound.	Ar. Dixon
No. 14, Chicago	10:20 a.m.
5 7:00 a.m. ex Sun	10:13 a.m.
99 7:10 a.m. Sun only	1:13 a.m.
13 10:45 a.m.	1:18 p.m.
19 12:15 p.m. dly ex Sun	3:34 p.m.
27 4:20 p.m. dly ex Sun	7:24 p.m.
11 6:05 p.m.	8:40 p.m.
25 6:10 p.m.	9:04 p.m.
x17 9:35 p.m.	12:06 a.m.
7 10:00 p.m.	12:28 a.m.
3 11:20 p.m.	2:22 a.m.
No. 14, Dixon	Ar. Peoria
801 8:30 a.m.	12:05 p.m.

*Train 17. Stops only for passengers for Canyon, Wyo., and beyond, or for Des Moines sleeping passengers.

ILLINOIS CENTRAL RY.

Correct time of all trains leaving Dixon that carry passengers and freight. *Daily except Sunday.

South Bound.	Ar. Chicago
119 Local Exp. dly ex Sun.	7:30 a.m.
123 Southern Exp.	11:10 a.m.
131 Clinton Exp.*	5:09 p.m.
North Bound.	Ar. Chicago
132 Ft. Dodge Exp.*	9:53 a.m.
124 Local Mail dly.	5:35 p.m.
120 Local Exp.	8:40 p.m.
Freepoint Freight*	12:30 p.m.

COOKING CLASSES FOR TEXTILE MILL WORKERS

Women in South Carolina Villages Also Instructed in Other Lines.

Columbia, S. C.—An important and interesting work among the women in the cotton mill villages in South Carolina is being conducted by Miss Mary E. Frayser, representing the United States Department of Agriculture, the State Normal College for Women, Winthrop, and the several mill managements. The work is done through cooking demonstrations, cookery clubs, sewing classes, mothers' clubs, garden clubs, junior and senior, playground activities and "recreation night," with night school two nights in the week through six months of the year. Each mill village has its local leader, usually a graduate of Winthrop College.

The work is planned to give an impetus to many worthwhile things. It includes certain definite training in practical things, such as cooking, home gardening and the preserving of perishables in glass and tin. Public spirited people are called on periodically to address the people on topics of current interest. Playgrounds are equipped and used in developing team work and better social spirit. The Federal farm demonstration agents cooperate to the extent of instructing the people in the cultivation of flower plots and kitchen gardens dairying and poultry keeping.

In each instance the mill management provides a house for the work, usually a four-room cottage, which is remodeled and equipped after plans furnished by Miss Frayser. An attempt has been made to achieve beautiful and practical, yet inexpensive interiors. The partition between two of the rooms is removed, so that a space large enough to contain a large group is made available. Here the various club meetings are held and in door games played. One of the other two apartments is a reading room.

Cheer radiates from the community building—for that is the name by which these modest cottages are known, except in the few textile settlements provided with large community club houses. The fourth room is used as a kitchen. In it is placed a modest equipment for cooking.

The work is under way at present in 12 textile communities and proposals are under consideration for its introduction into a number of other villages.

—You need a box of Healo today. Any Dixon druggist can furnish it.

MARKETS

Editor's Note.—Because the quotations furnished by the various markets of Dixon do not coincide the Telegraph finds it impossible to quote all of the prices daily, and hereafter will quote only those prices which seem most advantageous to seller or purchaser.

Corn 1.70
Oats, white—54. Mixed 1.54
Wheat 1.80

LOCAL PRODUCE QUOTATIONS.

	Pay	Sell
Creamery butter	52
Dairy butter	43
Lard	30
Eggs	36
Potatoes	1.25 1.60
Flour	3.15 to 3.85

LIVE POULTRY.

Light hens	.....	15
Cocks	.....	8
Springers	.....	18
Ducks, White Pekin	.....	13
India Runner ducks	.....	19
Geese	.....	7
Turkeys	13

Shares in the New Series No. 121, Now For Sale Also Some Old Shares

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Stock in the Comet Automobile Company, Decatur, Ill., manufacturers of touring cars and trucks.

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CAR OF PEACHES ON TRACK
MONDAY.

HEALO

This is real Healo weather. You can buy it at any first class drug store.

PUBLIC SALE

On the premises at 2003 W. Second Street, Dixon, Ill., Saturday, Sept. 29, 1917, at 1:30 o'clock p. m. 8 lots and 6 room house; barn for two horses or auto. Two lots in asparagus, other lots in strawberries, raspberries and other fruit. Chicken house and yards. Abstract of title furnished day of sale. Mrs. Carrie Casey. George J. Fruin, Auct. 225 6

TO MY CLIENTS.

Having been called to active service in the army, I will leave my records at the Union State bank. Any one desiring to pay their accounts may do so there until further notice. Hoping to be back soon.

W. J. WORSLEY.

NOTICE.

Effective on this day I will not be responsible for any debts whatsoever contracted by anyone but myself.

M. R. SCHOENEMAN.

MILK PRODUCERS.

A meeting of Dixon Local Milk Producers Assn. will be held at the City Hall, Dixon, Saturday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Business will be done promptly. Be there without fail and invite your friends who are milk producers. J. C. WADSWORTH, Secretary. 229 3

Healo for the Soldiers. 25c a box at any drug store. The greatest foot powder on the market, and the soldiers will find it indispensable. Sold by leading druggists everywhere.

Armory Hall is now ready for dances, dinners or gatherings; fifty folding chairs on floor added lately. Geo. J. Downing. Phone 340. 229 11

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TEACHER GROWS RICH
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Bristol, Tenn.—The marriage here of Miss Julia E. Slack of the Oklahoma City Schools and B. Clay Middleton, a lawyer and editor of Lynchburg, Tenn., has brought to light the fact that the teacher-bridal is a "matchless." After ten years of teaching she has a fortune of \$150,000.

Miss Slack made her money by wise investments. Purchasing centrally located business lots in the boom days of Oklahoma City she found herself well-to-do by their advance in price. Shortly afterward the site selected for the State capitol was one which adjoined a five-acre tract of suburban land she had acquired. Location of the capitol next to her tract sent it soaring in value.

"It's not how much you make, but how much you save and how you invest it," said Miss Slack after she had become Mrs. Middleton.

Fear Saves Woman's Life.

Minneapolis, Minn.—When knocked to the pavement by a team of fire engine horses, Miss Kate Stafford lay motionless while the five-ton machine passed over her body.

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BANKERS HEAR PLEA

Secretary of Treasury Asks Aid on New Loan.

Declares German Money Left in U. S. by Bernstorff Still is Financing Propaganda.

Atlantic City, N. J., Sept. 29.—German money left in the United States by Count von Bernstorff when he was handed his passports still is financing German propaganda in this country. Secretary of the Treasury W. G. McAdoo so informed the American Bankers' association in a ringing speech, in which he again reviewed the reasons why the nation went to war and explained in detail the great financial program which the move entailed.

Vast oversubscription of the second Liberty loan was confidently predicted by him, in calling on the bankers to give the same patriotic support to the new bond issue that they gave to the first.

"It has been urged upon me," said the secretary, "that many men of wealth will refuse to buy the 4 per cent bond, with liability to super-income taxation. I should be loath to believe this.

"The government must always offer a bond upon terms fair and equitable to all alike, and which will make the widest possible appeal to all the people without regard to the fact that a man may be rich or poor.

"It has been suggested to me that the sale of government bonds. I do not concede this, although I believe the American people will buy these 4 per cent bonds on their merits.

"Patriotism is, first, love of country above everything else—above life itself; second, love of country combined with that vital interest in the nation's welfare and safety which will make secure the material interests of each individual and promote his happiness and prosperity.

"If this be true, the man of wealth, with patriotism, or modified patriotism, or without patriotism, has a greater stake in the security of the government than any other, because if disaster comes upon the country, as it inevitably will if the government's credit falls, what is property worth to the rich man, what is life worth to the free man?"

Chicago was chosen as the city in which the American Bankers' association will hold its 1918 convention. C. A. Hirsch of Cincinnati was elected president of the association.

STATE BANK JOINS RESERVE

Biggest Institution in the U. S. Becomes Member.

New York, Sept. 29.—The breaking down of the opposition on the part of 20,000 state banks and trust companies in the United States to the unremitting efforts on the part of the federal reserve board and treasury department to get them into the federal reserve system was signalized by the announcement that the Guaranty Trust company, the biggest banking institution in this country operating under a state charter, had applied for membership.

Charles H. Sabin, president of the Guaranty Trust company, said: "The material contribution which the Guaranty Trust company makes toward the mobilization of the national credit for war purposes is indicated by the fact that it is the largest trust company in the world, with resources of over \$500,000,000 and deposits in excess of \$500,000,000."

'LABOR UNREST' TRIP MONDAY

Wilson's Special Commission Gives Out Western Itinerary.

Washington, Sept. 29.—Members of the special commission headed by Secretary Wilson and appointed by the president to investigate labor unrest in the West were completing final arrangements for the trip, which will begin Monday. Included in the itinerary are Arizona, California, Utah, Nevada, Oregon, Washington, Idaho, Montana, Wyoming, Colorado and possibly New Mexico. An intensive study of local conditions in each state, together with conferences with governors, manufacturers and labor leaders will reveal the basic causes, it is hoped, of the industrial troubles which have impeded the nation's war program.

CHIEF OF POLICE IS SLAIN

Discharged Officer Shot to Death When He Defies Police.

Fort Worth, Tex., Sept. 29.—Police Commissioner Parsley was shot to death in his private office at the city hall, J. K. Yates, a former policeman, detective and police inspector, was the only other person in the office at the time. He barricaded himself in the city hall, but was soon shot to death by officers. Yates was armed with three revolvers and emptied them all before he was killed. Yates was discharged recently from the police force.

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ALLIES REPULSE ATTACKS

French and British Hold Gains—Foe Suffers Heavy Losses.

London, Sept. 29.—Correspondents at British headquarters in France cabled all their English and American newspapers to expect no reports from them today. No reason for this is given. The only previous interruption of news was in October, 1915. Two days later Bulgaria's entry into the war was announced and a day later came news that Field Marshal Sir John French, silent five days, had driven a wedge into the German lines.

Paris, Sept. 29.—The Germans made an attack last night in the Argonne region. Today's official statement says they were repulsed three times, suffering heavy losses.

London, Sept. 29.—Another German counterattack was made against the new British position near Zonnebeke.

NO BREAK WITH GERMANY

President of Argentina Sees No Cause for Drastic Action.

Buenos Aires, Sept. 29.—President Rigolero is preparing a message in reply to the request made by congress that the diplomatic relations between Argentina and Germany be broken. The president, it is understood, contends that it is impossible to break off relations with Germany because of the Count von Luxburg incident, as the government considers this affair has been adjusted by the German foreign office's explanation.

NEW AIR RAID ON ENGLAND

German Airplanes Driven Back When They Approach London.

London, Sept. 29.—Hostile airplanes attacked the southeast coast of England last night. A few of them attempted to reach London, but failed. Bombs were dropped in Suffolk, Essex and Kent, but no reports regarding casualties or damage have been received as yet.

STRIKERS GO BACK TO WORK

Walkout Crippled Mills of South Chicago and Gary.

Chicago, Sept. 29.—Railroad unions whose men, employed by the Edgemoor, Joliet & Eastern railway went on strike, crippling the steel mills of South Chicago and Gary, whipped a number of their members into line and induced them to return to work. The strike was called without sanction of the organization.

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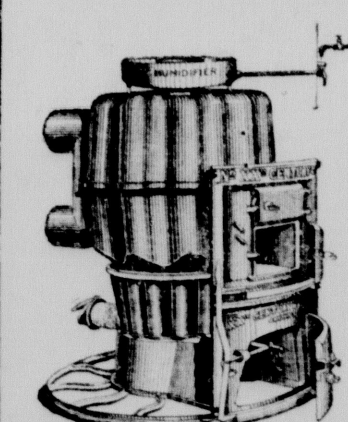
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